

No. 17,435.

魏六十月四年九十壹百九千壹英

April 16, 1919, Temperature 67,

WEDNESDAY, APRIL, 16, 1919.

Rainfall 0.04 inch.

Humidity 98.

April 16, 1918, Temperature 62.

PRICE \$3.00 Per Month

未已次。在日六十月三年入國民事中

BUSINESS NOTICES

W. S. BAILEY &

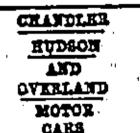
ENGINEERS and SHIPBUILDERS.

YAR ROUIWOZ

Steam and Mosco Sweets Steel Bulling and Commercial Control on the Control on the Control on the Control of the Control Castings, Jorgings, Repairs and Supplies

### DRAGON MOTOR CAR GO.

BOLE DISTRIBUTORS FOR THE FAMOUS







TELEPHONE 482. INSPECTION INVITED.

IND THE COLONY FOR HIRE.

OLD

25 YEARS IN WOOD.

Specially selected for

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

HONGKONG. Telephone No. 616.

NEWLY

DUR Brancy

Color Charles

ARRIVED

## PIANUS

ROBINSON'S.

### THE BUNCKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING GO., Ld. Established 1883

STRAND

' to 15'.

CHITADIERRICE.

MANUFACTURERS OF\_

CABLE LAID . 5° to 15° CURCUMITATION.

4 STRAND 3" to 10" CIACUMYRARECE .

Oil Drilling Cables of any size up to 3,000 feet in length

Prices, samples and full particulars will be forwarded on application to Shewan, Tomes & Co. General Managers.



WINE MERCHANTS.

TELL 214, 635,

## TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Renter's Service to the China Mail.)

Wages.

IMPORTANT SPEECH BY MR. BARNES.

At the plenary session of the Pence Conference M. Clemenceau presided. Mr. Barnes, introducing the committee's scheme of international labour organisation, together with a number of resolutions thereament for insertion in the peace treaty, outlined the unhappy nature of pre-war labour conditions... He emphasised that the workers are determined never to return to such a state. Consequently the committee's task was to provide means to promote a better mental atmosphere and improved conditions. He arged material that the highest wage earning countries were not the least succompetition. For the first time in history they were now seeking to get the cooperation of all concerned, namely, of States, employers, and workers, with a view to raising the standard

cessful in world of life everywhere. The committee had come to the conclusion that the best means of securing this was not by penalties but publicity, and in the agreement, therefore, they provided for public conferences of States, employers, and workers who would be armed with the fullest information. The fundamental idea of the proposed organisation was to be the collection and distribution of information with a view to stimulating a healthy public opinion. The organisation would work through-

LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Nations.

GENEVA CHOSEN AS THE SEAT

LOWENCE April 11. Paris reports that the League of Nations Commission yesterday chose Geneva as the seat of the League an Assembly comprising not more and adopted new provisions ensur- than three representatives of each of ing that the Monroe Doctrine would the member States, each State, hownot be affected by the provisions of ever, having only one vote, and a the covenant.

FEELING IN PARIS.

LONDON, April 13. of Nations Commission discussed number of Powers of each class race equality but reached no definite represented on the Council may decision. The Japanese delegates be increased by the unanimous raised an amendment for racial consent of the Council and equality by demanding that an a majority of the Assembly addition should be made to the Other Powers have the right to preamble of the covenant whereby as members of the Council during the states who are members of the discussion of matters in which the League should not only they are especially interested. maintain frank and loyal relations the Council, as in the Assembly but also recognize the equality of each State will have only one vote nations. Of seventeen votes eleven Both these bodies are to met at were favourable, the minority voters stated intervals (the Council insisting on their reserves which least once a year), and at other they intend to develop at the next times if required; both can deal plenary sitting of the commission for | with any matter that is of intrna-

final decision. proposed by the French delegation for the suppression of the manufac except in certain specified ases, ture of war material and the creation matters of procedure, for instance, of a permanent inter-allied military being decided by a majority vote. central organization. These were The league will have a permnent reserved for final decision.

for an open Peace Conference. The under the League may includ wo-Foreign Affairs Commission in the men equally with men. A permnent Chamber of Deputies will pro- Court of International Justice and pose that a secret session various permanent Commission and be held for the purpose of demanding | Bureaus are also to be established. explanations from M. Clemenceau. The French public's feeling is shown (a) To reduce their armaments, lans by a Civic League which has placed for such reduction, being suggeted huge posters on the walls of Paris by the Council, but only adoted cointing out that Germany has be- with the consent of the States tempome provocative and that it was selves, thereafter not to incease never more necessary for the French | them without the concurrence othe people to rally round the Govern- Council. (b) To exchange fu inment. The League asks that Ger- formation of their existing Anies, many shall make good all destroyed and their Naval and Mitary property and re-imburse the cost of programmes. (c) To respect each the war.—Havas.

F.O. AND GERMANS IN CHINA.

A BLOW FOR SHANGHAL

London, April 15. In the House of Commons Mr. Harmsworth stated that the question of preventing Germans returning to China was one for the decision of the Chinese government, who would doubtless be largely guided by any decisions of the Peace Conference regarding the general policy of trade relations with enemy countries.

### U.S. RAILWAY WAGES.

LONDON, April 11. Washington reports that the Government has ordered railway wage increases aggregating \$65,000,000 and affecting 400,000 workers.

INSURING CHINA AGSINST ALCOHOLISM.

PARIS, April 12.

A Havas message states:--At the Interestional Congress of Scientists at Cannes, Dr. Lee, the Chinese delegate, hoped the Red Cross movement would take steps prevent -alcoholism taking foot China, especially now that America and various sections of the Briti Empire had gone "dry."

### BOLSHEVIST WAR.

LONDON, April 15. British North Russia officia communique states that General May nard successfully attacked Uposozer on April 11, killing fifty and captur ing thirty-five.

THE SILVER MARKET. SINGAFORE, April 15.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

The silver market is steady.

OFFICIAL SUMMARY. Paris, April 12,

(Via New York.) The following is an official summary of the Covenant of the League

of Nations: I.—The League of Nations founded in order to promote interna tional co-operation and to secure peace. The League will include (a) the belligerent States named in a out in harmony with the League of document annexed to the Covenant (b) all the Neutral States so named; and (c) in the future any self-governing country whose admission is approved by two-thirds of the States already members of the League. To-day a State may withdraw from the Lossue Droviding if had kept its

oungations to date on giving two years' notice. II.—The League will act through Council comprising for the present one representative of each of the Five Great Powers and one each of four other Powers as selected from A prolonged sitting of the League | time to time by the Assembly. The

tional interest or that thretens There were also two amendments the peace of the world; the decsion of both must be unaninous. Secretariat under a Secretary-Geeral. The French public's demand grows | The Secretariat and all other bdies

. III.—The member States agre: other's territory and personalindependence. and guarantee hein against aggression. (d) To shmit all International disputes eith to arbitration or to enquiry I the Council, which latter, howeve may not pronounce an opinion d any dispute whose object matterfalls solely within a State's domestillurisaward or recommendation.

diction; in no case to go to ar till three months after an awad or unanimous recommendation habeen made: and even then not togo to war with a State which accep the regard a State which has broke the Covenant as having committed act of war against the League; to reak off all economic and other retions could you, Captain with it; and to allow free page armed force on behalf of the ligue. Captain's instruction.
The Council is to recommend what. Colonel Crisp was called as supplied by the several Governents as we went to press.

latter is necessary. (States not members of the League will be invited to accept the obligation of the League for the purposes of particular disputes, and if they fail to comply may be forced.) (f) Not to consider any Treaty binding till it has been communicated to the League, which will then proceed to publish it; to admit the right of the Assembly to advise the reconsideration of Treaties and international conditions which do not accord with present needs; and to be bound by no obligations inconsistent with the

-A State which breaks its agreements may be expelled from the League by the Council.

IV.—The Covenant does not affect the validity of International engage men's such as Treaties of Arbitration or regional understandings like the Monroe Doctrine, for securing the maintenance of peace.

V.—The former German Colonies and Territories of the Ottoman Empire are to be administered in the interests of colonization by States. which are willing to be mandatories of the League, which will exercise a a general supervision.

VI.—The member States accept certain responsibilities with regard to labour conditions, the treatment of natives, the white slave traffic, the opium traffic, the arms traffic; with uncivilised and semi-civilised countries, transit and trade conditions, public health and Red Cross

Societies. VII.—The League is recognised as the central body interested in coordinating and assisting International activities generally.

VIII.—Amendments to the Covenant require the approval of all the States on the Council and a simple majority of those in the Assembly. States which signify their dissent from amendments thus approved are not bound by them, but in this case cease to be members of the League.

CHARGE OF ASSAULT AGAINST R.A.M.C. STAFF SERGEANT

Before Mr. Lindsell at the Magisracy this afternoon, the case was begun in which Mrs. Offord sued a Staff Sergeant of the R.A.M.C., for

Mr. Goldring who appeared the defence said his client denied assault but was prepared to apologise for disturbing the complainant in the early hours of the morning, and if the complainant was prepared to accept it, the case would end there, but if the complainant preferred to go on with the case, then his client would fight it out.

In reply to his Worship, the complainant said she would not accept the apology if the defendant denied

Mr. Goldring asked for permission to call Capt. Macauley and Col. Crisp, R.A.M.C., first, as they were busy. Mrs. Offord having no objection, Captain H. M. C. Macauley. R.A.M.C., was put in the witness box and said thaton the 8th inst., the plaintiff came to him at his office, next to Wellington Barracks, at about 11 a.m., and complained of pain in the throat and difficulty in swallowing. He examined her and found no trace or marks of violence, externally. He did not find either swelling, scratch or bruise. He also examined the inside of the complainant's throat and found nothing abnormal. The complainant also complained to him of pain in the side but as he did not think it serious, he did not examine

By Mr. Goldrings He had seen the complainant periodically for the last two years when the came to him for treatment. The complainant was more than slightly hysterical. The tendency to hysteria would be accentuated by alcohol.

Mr. Goldring: Assuming that she had drunk a quart of stout at half past seven in the morning on an empty stomach, it would not be of any good to her?-No.

In fact, it would not be of any good to anybody?-No. By Mrs. Offord: He did not tell

her that the threat was swollen, but admitted that he painted it with lodine. He did not say that the swelling was too far down the throat Mrs. Offord (in a low voice): How

The complainant told his Worship through their territories to the loops | that she could produce the orderly to those States which are contruting who painted her throat under the

amount of force, if any, shod he witness. The case was proceeding concerned but the approval the

BUSINESS NOTICES

J. T. SHAW.

TAILOR, HABITMAKER

AND

OUTFITTER.

21, HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDING HONGKONG.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LTD., ENGINEERS and LAUNCH BUILDERS.

MOTORS OF ALL POWERS IN STOCK.

Works:-POOTUNG, SHANGHAL "Sole" Agencies: - STEBLING & EVINRUDE MOTORS. MAKERS "EWO" MOTORS.

Associated British Machine Tool Makers, Ltd. A.B.C. Boiler Enamel. Revine Ltd., (Leather-cloth). Edgar Allen & Co, Ltd., (Tool

Steels. &c.)

"Sarco" Steam Traps, Temperature Regulators, &c. Linotype & Machinery, Ltd.
Pulsometer Engineering Co., Ltd.
T. & W. Smith Ltd., (Wire Ropes).
Imperial Light, Ltd.

THE HONGKONG SCHOOL OF MOTORING.

-- Applications are now being accepted The School has accommodation for 200 pupils. Courses for Mechanics and driving

Special facilities will be offered to persons desirous of becoming Chauffeurs and not having the means to pay for their course.

Works and school, Shaukiwan, Office, 4 Queen's Road Central."

ALLENBURY'S FOODS!!

Small consignments of the above are due to arrive. We shall be glad to book orders against arrival.

THE PHARMACY

(FLETCHER & CO., LTD.)

22, Queen's Road Central.

DIAMONDS,

JEWELLERY, SILVERWARE, CUT GLASS

Tcl. 345.

QUALITY, -VARIETY-PERFECTION.

J. ULLMANN & CO.

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL (CORNER FLOWER STREET)

INELUENZA DISIMPICT WITH IZAL

A little izal in a lot of water will kill all Germs.

Don't waste Izal by using it stronger than recommended. Remember the best way to awid Influenza and all Infectious Discusse in absolute cleanliness. Dirty houses and dirty persons are a danger to the community. Therefore, for the sake of others, remember the IZAL RULES OF HEALTH.

Keep your house clean. Wash your hands before meals. Clean your teetler Take frequent baths. Do not spit, and stop others doing so. Avoid hot and stuffy rooms. Sloop with your window open. Pneumonia is not caused by fresh sir, but is due to a microic, which lives in heat and darkness. Specze and cough into a handkerchief. If you feel ill or have a running cold stop at home. Use Tral as

Por Washing the Hands and Pacs :- I tempoonful of Izal to one millon or to the basin of water. In your Bath :- I tenspoonful of Izal. For your Teethard as a Mouth

Wash : 3 drops of Izal to the

blass of warm witer.

For Spilling up the Reser 5 drope of Isal to the gians of warm water to be used three times a day. Por Plates, Dishes and Glasses -- I tablespoonful of Im to each laif bucket of hot water. Por Picors and Yards, Cinks and Drains: 4 tribupocasta of Izal to the bucket o water.

Por Linen :- 2 tablespoonshit of Izal to the bucket of water SOLE AGENTS :-W. R. LOXLEY & CO.

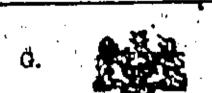
AUCTIONEER, APPRAISES

### AND SURVEYOR Public Auctions—

FOR SALE.

Two Cycle 14 H.P. Fay & Bowen Rerosens Engine, Marine Type, with reversing gear, shafting and propeller. Apply GEO. P. LAMMERT.

### INTIMATIONS.



IMPORTS AND EXPORTS DEPI NOTICE.

GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER MON DAY HOLIDAYS.

THIS Department will be entirely CLOSED on FRIDAY, the 1Sth April. It will be OPEN for all purposes till soon on the following SATURDAY, SUNDAY and MON DAY, "Licensed Warehouses will be entirely CLOSED on those dates. D. W. TRATMAN,

Superintendent, Imports and Exports. Hougkong, April 15, 1919.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on FRIDAY, SATURDAY and MONDAY, the 18th, 19th and dist instant.

Hongkong, April 15, 1919.

### NOTICE:

WING to the High Cost of living we perforce had to approach our employers for an increase in wages. Our employers have lavourably con-sidered our petition and have granted an increase of 10 cents per day which came into force on the 3rd inst. We desire to express our thanks for their consideration.

For the PAINTER'S GUILD. CHOI CHEE TONG. Hongkeng, April 15, 1919.

### NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any member of the crews of the :-S.S. "ADMIRAL MAYO," S.S."" ADMIRAL GOODRICH,"

3.S. "ADMIRAL WAINWRIGHT." PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

Hongkong, April 12, 1919,

NATIONAL LOAN OF THE THIRD YEAR OF THE REPUBLIC (1914).

SECOND ANNUAL DRAWING OF BONDS.

CUBSCRIBERS to the above Loan D are hereby notified that arrangements have now been made to proceed with the reclemption of the Loan, and that the Second Drawing of Bonds will take place on 15th May next. The date of payment with a list of the numbers of drawn bonds will be announced in a subsequent notification. F. A. AGLEN, III

Inspector General of Customs. April 10, 1919.

### ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL.

STAINER'S CRUCIFIXION."

will be sung on

GOOD FRIDAY.

st 9.15 p.m.

CHORUS OF BO VOICES

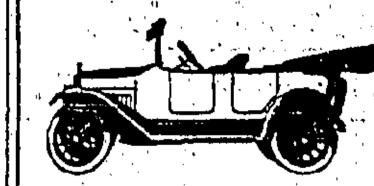
MASSAGE HALL. MRS. T. SUGITA MISS HALU 4 Wyndham Street,

Hongkong."

MRS. ASA IMASAWA. JAPANESE MASSAGE. Room No. 5, Pirst Floor, No. 38 Queen's Road Central,

Hongkong.

### **EKOLTAMITAL**



Sole distributors of MAXWELL CARS.

Automobiles for Hire and for Sale at reasonable Prices.



'Phone 2500. 65 Des Voeux Road

Central

### KODAKS & FILMS

Plates & Papers. Developing & Printing Undertaken.

A. TACK & CO., 26, Des Vœux Road Central.

### DAIRY FARM NEWS.

SAVE YOUR CLOTHING FURS & CARPETS

by storing them in our Cold Stores for the summer months where no moths or vermin can attack them. For particulars as to packing and rates apply to :--

THE DAIRY FARM ICE & COLD STORAGE CO, LTD.

### SONG POST CARDS. IN SET.

Sunshine and Rain, When you come home, Somewhere in France, My little girl, Ruses of Picardy, Thinking of you, Until we meet again, Never mind, God be with you, Friend across the sea.

GRACA & CO., No. 10, Wyndham Street, Hongkong. P. O. Box 620.

### MEE CHEUNG PHOTOGRAPHER

Ice House Street. All Photo goods supplied Films, plates, Self toning papers, Velox papers. . Just arrived.

Branch Opposite City Hall.

JAPANESE MAKERS.

every kind of Footwear. MADE



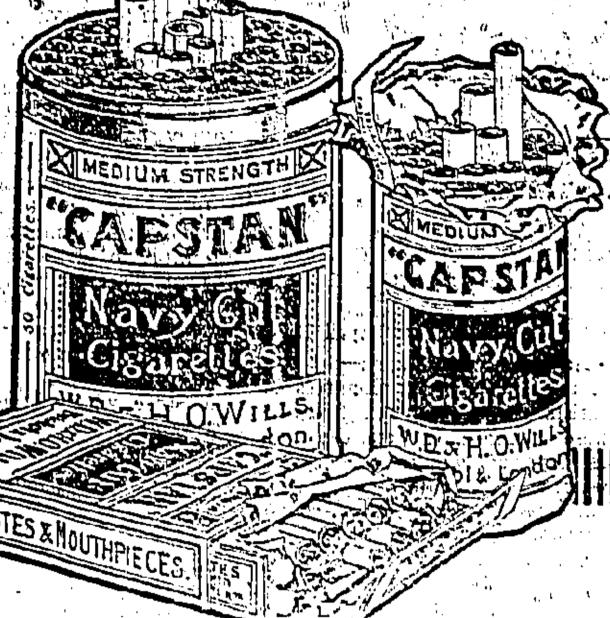
CHERRY & CO. PEDDER STREET Opposite Hongkong Hotel.
Telephone No. 491. Hongkong, March 20, 1914.

## CRICKET SCORING **BOOKS**

CAN BE OBTAINED

Price





igarettes

CAPSTAN Jobacco for the Dipe

Packets

Cigarettes **50** Cigarettes.

### MAGNUMS

ALS Q.

in Airtight Tins OBPAINABLE AT ALL STORES.

### THE SERIAL LIFE.

bour, explaining the darkened house next down "Yes they used to be in Wednesday nights always, but they're following a picture now which takes

them out Wednesdays." To the cinema devotee life is real, life is serial.

### INTERESTING DIRECTORIAL APPOINTMENT.

Major Richard Lloyd George! the. Prime Minister's elder son, has been directors of Messrs. A. R. Brown, M'Fadane and Co., of Glasgow, London, and New York, This fain are mount architects, unitine enchants.

. THE WAY OF THE WINNERS.

During a debate in the French Chamber, Mr Pichon, the French. Minister, declared that the about of French policy was to reduce Gerhave been those of Bismarck.

INCREASED EXPORT FACILITIES

The following notices have been received by the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce from the War Trade Department:--

I countries have been reached.

lion without licence.

### POLICE-PROTECTED HUNT.

The Ward Union Hunt, whose meet at Turnshaughan, whose Meath, was held up by Sinn Feiners and a horse wounded by a shot, held a meet recently at Fingles, County Dublin. No opposition was offered and the meet was voted the best of the season, about 200 taking parts A force of police attended, and the spectacle of a police-protected stag hunt attracted much notice.

### MR. R. P. HOUSTON, M.F.

The House of Commons still lacks one of its most familiar and pictures. que figures, for Mr. R. P. Houston elected to a scut on the board of is still seriously indisposed. His health has been uncertain for some time, and the exertions of his election compaign were too great strain lipon him: He got down to gineers, and from and steel mer-" the House one morning to be sworn in, but has not been able to turn out, again. Members are awaiting his rentred with considerable eigerness, for Mr Bottomley is now in possession of his cherished corner seub."

### MANCHESTER GOODS.

The Manchester Guardian correman strength to the lowest possible spondint says something of a flutter limits, and to prevent it from find- amon; the dovecotes on the Exing compensations in the Austrian chang has been caused by an adpopulations for its losses elsewhere, vertisment offering Japanese cotton The Allies had the means to solve goods in Manchester. "We have the Gennan' Austrian question with been bld over and over again about out allowing this accession of Japan selling cotton goods in all the strength to Germany. "But what," distant markets, but it comes quite M. Renandel interrupted him from as a sock to learn that in the very the Socialist benches, " if the Aus- centre of the British cotton trade trians desire in all freedom to be cotton piece goods made in Japan incorporated with Germany " Do are tope offered. Surely this is sugyou think," retouted M. Pichor, gestiv of taking couls to Newthat victory gives no rights over castle but this may perhaps be a the vanquished?" The words might part & Japan Soiden of what reconstructon really means." At little businss has been done with China. and tere has been a fair demand for

### A FEARFUL SILENCE.":

Accrding to the Münchener Post, experies so terrible a silence. ... be the reason?

### JULIAN APOSTATE.

Coleridge tells a good story of Thomas Williams, in 1798, for publishing Paine's "Age of Reason "... In his charge to the jury Kenyon enumenited many celebrated men who had been sincere Christians; and, after having enforced the example of Locke and Newton, proceeded : Nor gentlemen, is this belief confined to men of comparative seclusion, since men, the greatest and most distinguished both as philosophers and as monarchs, have enforced this belief, and shown its influence by their conduct. Above all, gentlemen, need I name to you the Emperor Julian, who was so celebrated for every Christian virtue that he was called Julian the Apostle?"

### BIG WORDS SMALL WAYS.

" The Japan Advertiser has aimed to follow a constructive policy," we rend editorially in our contemporary's issue of the 22pd March—as we have read before in its blatant self-univertisements. In the same issue is a taradiddle about a fight between a hundred Japanese coolies and a number of French sailors on board the s.s. Andre Lebon, which the Japanese police, who were sent for, had great difficulty, in suppressing. What really happened was that there was a fight between one Japanese and a negro, and that all the police came for was to take the combutants away. That is a typical instance of what our truthful contemporary understands as a constructive policy. It certainly makes nuch more exciting reading.

### AN EFFECT OF WAR.

The following letter from a vieur

to the Church Times is interesting in connection with /a controversy that recently took place in our columns :- "Sir, - Much has been written by Army and Navy chaplains Herr ehrenbuch, ex-President of about the lack of religious knowledge The embargo on the expent of the Richstag, speaking recently at and practice shown by the young albumen, egg yolk and dried eggs Heidelerg, described the scene on Frequity. There is griother side to into Holland and Sweden has now Novemer 10, when Dr. Solf read the picture, as my experience has bean ruised. Applications for ex- out the Allied Armistice beans. All proved. Over 100 enlisted from my port from the United Kingdom will the minhers of the new and old country parish. A good proportion be freely granted subject to the pro- Governments were assembled at the of them were confirmed and had duction of the usual guarantees Chanctor's Polace. "The Armis made their communion, the majoragainst re-export until such time as tice Comission's telegram was then thy had attended church thirly rethe quantities (not yet definitely fix read, sting that there was nothing gularly, and many had been in the ed) which may be imported by those to do it immediately to accept the choir. When they joined up most condition. Then the belegram from of them came to see me, and I gave The quantities of (1) felt (other Hindening was read, requesting them each a little pocket-money and than wool felt) and (2) furs and for that althe conditions be immediated a book or picture to period them of skins which may be imported into by needed and stating that he could their Churck and duties. When Holland under the agreement with no lover hold the almy together, first they came home on leave they the associated Covernments are now and the it was already getting out called to see me; but subsequently unlimited. Applications for export of had Otherwise lie would be none have come and worse still licenses must be accompanied by compeld to capitalate with the en- very lew lave attended charelt. It certificated from the Netherlands tire ally. Herr Ebert then put the bas been very grievous. They went Overseas Trust. Dassed, dynt or questid. Who opposes this step? out spiritually equippeds now when manufactured furs inuy, however, be whereing followed that fearful they return they seem to have fost exported to any non-enemy destant silence I liope I shall never again all their grip on religion. What can

### NOTICES.

## G. FALCONER & CO., LTD.

WATCHMAKERS JEWELLERS.

Hotel Mansions.

Agents for .- ADMIRALTY CHARTS.

ROSS'S BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES, KELVIN'S NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS. BEIISON'S ENGLISH WATCHES,

ENGLISH SILVERWARE, direct from Manufacturers, High Class English Jowellery.

### MACARONI, PASTE STARS, EGG NOODLES, **VERMICELLI.**

AND ALL KINDS OF SOUP STUFFS.

A LL our Fastes bear the "Rooster' label and are made from Flour of the Best Quality containing a large percentage of Gluten. Starch and Gluten are the principal components of Flour. Gluten is easier to digest and contains more notriment than Starch Manufactured under the most sanitary conditions. Large quantities have been exported to various important cities in the World.

Terms moderate, especially for Agencies. Orders executed premptly. THE HING WAH PASTE MANUFACTURING CO., LTD. Head Office: No. 47 and 48, Connaught Road, Central, Hongkong; Telephone 1:39, Principal Factory: No. 71, North Scochow Road, Shanghai, China; Telephone 3:386.

Branch Factory: Wing Hing Street, Causeway Bay, Hongkong.

Cable address: "Hingway.

### COMPETITION

LADIES AND GENTLEMAN. Please notice The Breezy G trage is giving Special quotations with the latest and newest design CARS ON HIRE for the coming Season.

CHANDLER

7 passengers \$8.00 per Hour.

HUDSON SUPER SIX 7 \$7.00 "

Wise patrons never go wrong once they decide to patronise us. Weekly or monthly trips can be arranged at the Office.

THE BREEZY GARAGE, OUR MOTTO 81. Des Young Road Central, Drink less patent med'cine Opposite Central Market. and take more motoring. Phone 2499.

Just landed a large stock of Goodyear and Goodrich Tyres and Tubes t lowest prices. Sizes 34 × 4 and 32 × 4.

Please Ring, Write or Call Mr. TANG TSUN. Mr. TANG TSUN.
Proprietor and Manager.



The 100% Cross Expansion Packing.

Sold by:-

DREVARD CERIN. Telephone 114.

HUTELS AND CAFES.

## THE HONGKONG HOTEL

GRILL ROOM

J. H. TAGGART " MANAGER

Mrs. BLAIR.

PEAK HOTEL. 1.500 Feet above Sea Level 15 Minutes from Landing Stage Under the Management of

KING EDWARD HOTEL CENTRAL LOCATION LL ELECTRIC TRAMS Pass Entrance, Electric Lifts, Fans and Lighting A European Baths and Sanitary Fittings, Hot and Cold Water Syttem throughout. Best of Food and Service.

J. WITCHELL, Manager.

PALACE HOTEL KOWLOON. (Two minutes from Stac Ferry).

Telephone 373. Telegraphic Address: - VICTORIA.

Recently repoysted and refumished, electric light and face throughout and cutirely under new management. Cuisine under the personal supervision of the proprietor, Bar and Billiard Rooms. Terms moderate. Special terms to families on application to Telephone K. 3. Telegraphic Add.: "PALACE."

## CARLTON HOTEL.

(THE ORLY AMERICAN MOTEL IN THE COLOUR.)

ICE HOUSE STREET. Under American Management | Nice and quiet yet only a few minutes walk from the Sanks and Central District. 42 Bedrooms, Excellent Cuising, scrupulately clean. Moderate Terms. Monthly and Taxily Habes on application to the Proprietress. Launches meet Passenger Bosts.

BLUE BIRD CONFECTIONERS

ICE CREAM

PARLOUR.

TERMS VERY MODERATE

Oppulitation free.

Telegraphic Address - CABLTON .



HOT and DOLL DHINKS. DEALERS IN Gimbal's and Orange American Chocolates Assorted Parity Cales OLD POST OFFICE SULLDING. Queon's Hord & Pedder Street.

MBS. F. R. CAMERON

TANG YUK, DEPTER, Seccessor to the late SIEN TING. 14, D'AGUILAP STREET.

J. H. OKBERRY, Propeletor.

G. MOUSSION. 15. Morrison Hill Road.



Hughes & Hough AUCTIONERES TO THE GOVERNMENT.

General Auctioneers Share, Coal and General Produce Brokers and Commission Agents.

" PROPRIETORS "To-Ewa-Wan "Coal Sterage.

Codes used Bentley's A B o 4th & 5th Editions." A 1 Telegraphic Code. Telegraphic Address

### "MERIDON" HONGKONG. PUBLIC AUCTIONS-

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED)

THURSDAY, April 17, 1919, at 10.30 a.m.,

at No. 5, Aimai Villas, Kowloon, (corner of Austin Avenue and Kimberley, Road),

Valuable Household Furniture therein contained.

Comprising :-Upholstered Arm-chairs and Sofa Blackwood Chairs and Stands, Paintings and Engraving, Curtains, &c., Dining Room Furniture, Glass Crockery "Ware, Double and Single Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Wardrobes Toilet Table and Washstands Camphor wood Chest-of-Drawers, Bath Room and

Kitchen Utensils. Piano by Challen & Sons, London good condition, Electric Fan, Croquet Set, Singer's Hand Sewing Machine and Pot Plants.

(Full Particulars from Catalogue). On view day of sale." Torms :-- Cash,

HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctionests. Hongkong, April 10, 1919.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

THURSDAY, ....

April 24, 1919, at 2.30 p.m., at, \_\_\_ No. 2 Ormsby Villas, 39 Granville Road, Kowloon,

Valuable Household Furniture, therein contained.

Comprising :--Teak Hallstands, Side Table, Barometer, &c., Chesterfield Sola and Armchairs, Blackwood Stands and Tables, carpets and rugs, Pictures, a number of Chinese and Japanese Vases, curios, &c., Dining Room Furniture, Bookcases, including high back chairs made by Wm. Powell and practically, new, crockery, Glass ware, &c., 3-bottle tantalus by Mappin and "Webb," Double and Single Bedsteads, Wardrobes, Toilet Washstands" and, chest-ofdrawers, &c., and, one handsomely carved teakwood clothes press, Shang

Piano by Robinson Piano Co. (good condition), Electric fittings, Boiler, Pot Plants, Stone Roller and one Indy's. side saddle.

hai baths, porcelain lavatory basins,

Dover stove and Utensils,

(Full Particulars from Catalogue). On view day of sale.

Terms :- Cash. " HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctionoers.

Hongkong, April 10, 1919.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from the CHINESE GOVERNMENT SALT REVENUE DEPT. to sell by Public Auction,

FRIDAY,

April 25, 1919, at 12 noon, at Yaumati, Break Water, The Steam Vessel

"KUNG CHING HULL-Teakwood. Length-125 feet. Beam-18 . feet.

Draft-8 feet 6 inches. ENGINES.—Two sets of compound surface condensing engines, with cylinders 111 in, by 22 in, by 14 in, stroke,

Separata condensors. BOILER,-One cylindrical, multitubular, marine type boiler. Longth 10 feet 6 inches. Diameter 10 feet

Working pressure 130 lbs. per square

Inspecting orders and further particulars may be had from the undersigned.

A launch will leave Blake Pier a 11.30 a.m. day of sale to convey intending purchasers.

Terms :-- Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneors. Hongkong, April 12, 1919.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

By Order of the Mortgagee

PROPERTY Situatest VICTORIA, IN THE COLONY OF

Homoxono. TO BE SOLD

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

MONDAY. The 28th day of April, 1919, at 3 o'clock sitermoon

MR. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer, at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.

in Three Lots ...

THE PROPERTY CONSISTS OF :-Let 1.-All that piece or parcel c ground situate at Victoria in Colony of Hougkong and registered in the Land Office as R. P. of Sec. R. of Inland Lot Not 757 together with the mes mages and buildings thereon knows as No. 18 Hing Hon Road held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 7th day of January, 1862. Aren 2,768'5" square feet or thereabouts. Proportion of Crown Rent

1.0t 2.-All That piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid and registered in the Land Office as Subsection 9 of Sec. R. of Inland Lot No. 757 together with the messunges and buildings thereon known as No. 19 Hing Hon Road held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 7th day of January, 1862. Area 2,271' 1" square feet or thereabouts. Proportion of

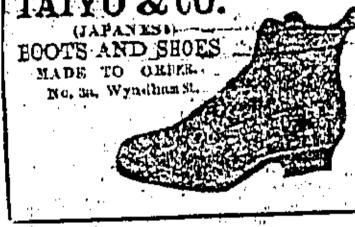
Crown Rent \$10.25. Lot 3 .- All that piece or parcel of ground situate at Victoria aforesaid and registered in the Land Office as Subsection 8 of Sec. R of Inland Lot No. 757 together with the messuages and buildings thereon known as No. 20" Hing Hon Road held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 7th day of January 1862. Area 2,271' 1" square feet, or thereabouts. Proportion of

Crown | Rent \$10:25. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to:-

> LO AND LO Alexandra Building, Solicitors for the Mortgages

MR. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioneer, Duddell Street. Hongkong, April 12, 1919.

## TAIYO & CO.



FOR SALE.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED) At their Sales Rooms, No. 8,-Des Vœux Road, Corner of Ice House Street. ... Motor Yacht "IRENE".

Built 1915 recently thoroughly overhauled painted and varnished. Length ... 35 feet

Motor "Scripps" heavy duty 14 H.P. Cabin enlarged to seat 6 passengers Lavatory, Ice box, Electric light, &c., &c. including Extra large Battery for Electric light, a sets steering genr Engine room Telegraph, lamps, swnings, sails, electric horn, ventilators, lifebuoy, tanks, &c., &c., ... For further particulars apply to the

TERMS :- Cash. HUCHES & HOUGH,

Augtioneers.

Hongkong, Mirch 25, 1919. THE Undersigned have received in-structions to sell

Dos Vous Road, Corner of Ice House Street -One complete set Engines and

Boiler in good working order, DESCRIPTION: Set of Compound Engines, 16 x 33,

by 24 stroke, Boiler, 12 x 10 s, working pressure 120 lbs. on Veritas survey. To be sold in one lot, together with

Engine Seat, Stafts and Propeller and all piping, &c, connected with the above mentioned Engines and Boiler.

Anchors and Chains, Wooden Mast, 2 Navigating Compasses.

At present stored at Kwong Tung Cheong's shipyard. Inspecting orders and further part culars may be had from the . undersign

Torms .- Oash. EUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers. February 21, 1919.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

DICTURES painted by Captain LORING, R.A. "opertime station-HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

## WANT

**ADVERTISEMENTS** 

-125 Words 3 Insertions, \$1. PREPAID. Every additional 5 words & Cents

### WANTED.

WANTED.—For The CHINESE ENGLISH SCHOOL of JAVA. TWO RESIDENTIAL MASTERS. Salary (Senior Local) 110 guilders rising 15 annually. Free quarters, food, etc. Free passage. Applicants must be Chinese, and accustomed to Sports. Apply with testimonials up-to-date to, TUAN GURU, c/o " CHINA MAIL"

### WANTED.

WANTED.—A" RELIABLE - EXPERIENCED MASTER for a British vessel trading to Hongkong. Good record essential. Also A CHIEF ENGINEER for the same steamer. Apply in writing stating previous record and experience care of Post Office Box No. 348.

### TO LET.

LET.—No. 103 The Peak, ROOMED HOUSE at the Peak. to Peroy Smith, Seth & FLEMING.

### TO LET,

TO LET.—DERRINGTON No. Peak Road, Furnished, from 1st June, 8 Rooms and 2 Tennis Courts. Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

TO LET.

FLAT in Nathan Road, Kowloon.

'Apply to-HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LTD. Alexandra Buildings.

TO LET.

Hongkong, March 12, 1919.

New Houses in Nathan Road, Kowloon, Ground and First Figure

Ground, First & Second Floors No. 14 Ground and First Floors . No. 16 Ground Floor.

New Houses in Mody Road, Kowloon. and the

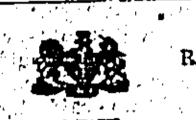
Ground Floors in Nos. 4, 10 & 12. Light and Airy, Electric Light & Bell installation, excellent sanitary fittings and arrangements including Water Closets. Enamelled Baths

(European Style.) Terms moderate Apply to .- LAI HIN MAN, Manager.

Tong Wa Building Agency, No. 434 Queen's Road East, Hongkong. No. 10 Nathan Road, Kowlcon.

### TO LET.

TIO BE LET.—On Lease, Furnished, L. for six months, Victoria, B.C. High class, modern, stone built residence; has six bedrooms, drawing and dining rooms, library, two kitchens and pantry, etc., two bathrooms and toilets, extra cloakroom" and layatory gentlemen, bot water heated. About six acres of pleasure and kitchen gardens, conservatory and green house, lawn tennis ground, plenty of shade trees, fine sea view, close to golf links. Garage and well built summer house with open fireplace. Very suitable for a school or play room. Electric lighting and gas machine: city water laid on and sewerage. In all, one of the most complete and beautiful residences ever put on the market in the west The grounds could not be duplicated without many years of bard work and large expense. Rent \$200 a month. Gardener extra, Apply to the ROYAL TRUST COMPANY, VICTORIA, B.C.



NOTICE.

LL PERSONS with the exception A of those of Chinese races desiring to Applicants will be required to produce at their risk into the hazardous nor times, give quite a tiny district a Passports or identification papers. All remain in the Colony for more than kong and Kowloon Wharf and Gown of Registration giving the particulars required may be obtained at the G.P.O. and at all Police Stations. The Penalty for non compliance is a fine not exceeding \$50.

BRIDGE SCORERS.

In Blocks of 50 BHEETS. SO centa esob Hour for One Dollar.

Obtainable at-The CHIPA MAIL LAS 5 Wyndham Street.

### NOTICES.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN th the TRANSFER BOOKS of Society will be CLOSED from the 19 April to the 25th April, both days inclusive

By Order of the Board. C. MONTAGUE EDE. General Manager.

Hongkong, April 11, 1919." BRITISH TRADERS' INSURAN

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. JOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th April to the 25th April, both days

By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE General Manager Hongkeng, April 11, 1919.

### NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "CHAKSANG,

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed about £72,000,000. at their risk into the hazardons and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Bongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves. delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 21st inst. at Noon, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined. Claims against pression of England and its people," the steamer must be presented within says a writer in the Nation. 10 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD., жорджону, April 14, 1919.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGA-TION CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES From CALCUTTA, PENANG &

SINGAPORE.

HE Steamship

"KWONGSANG," having arrived from the above ports, Clovelly, and Polperro. Consignees of Cargo by her are heaby intheir rise into the hazardous and/r extra Kowloon Wharf and Godown Conpany, Limited, whence and/or from the warves, delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 21st inst. at moon, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed and damagequackages are to be left in the Godownswhere they will be examined. Claims the steamer must be presented 10 days of arrival otherwise the will

not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effectedly us in any case, whatever. Bills of Lading will the countergued

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co LED General Managers. Hongkong April 15, 1919.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVA-TION CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES From PENANG and SINGAPRE.

THE Steamship

" NAMSANG." extra hazardous Godowns of the ing. charming individuality. Co., Ltd., whence, and/or from the: wharves, delivery may be obtained Goods not cleared by 22nd intat,

at noon will, be subject to rent, All broken, chafed and damaged kkages are to be left in the Godins, to take Pinkettes, the gentle little laxa-Claims against the Steamer ast purging, and without griping or where they will be examed. be presented within 10 days of aral otherwise they will not be racogniz. No Fire Distrance will be effective us in any case whatever. Bills of Lading will be countarigno

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, April 15, 1919.

General Managers.

### GOLD PRODUCTION.

With the British Empire and the United States each paying very marked attention to the present serious position of the gold-producing industry, and with these two co ntries the greater portion of the world's output, estimates of production for the past year will probably be followed with more

than usual interest. The following official figures have been published up to the present of gold outputs for the year 1918. In presenting them in The Economist, the figures for 1916 and 1917 are given for comparison. The output of gold in the United States for 1918 is the smallest for 20 years. It will be observed that, in spite of war conditions, the scarcity of labour, and the low purchasing power of gold. the production in British Columbia for 1918 and 1917 increased:

Taking as a basis these returns issued up to the present, a decrease of 10.6 per cent, upon the figures for 1917 is shown, and after making allowance for a reduced Russian output, it is estimated that the total world's production of gold for 1918 will be round

### THE REAL ENGLAND.

"It would be a fascinating task to plan a tour with the object of giving to soldiers from the United States or the Dominions a true and lasting im-

"On such a tour it would be unfair to exclude the great industrial towns, but if I were guide, I would see to it that urban England was not represented only by London or London by Whitehall and Belgravia and the

suburbs. In London I would lead the way courts and gardens of the Temple or such relics of quieter, more slowgoing times as Cowley Street and the house of Dr. Johnson in Gough Square. And I would visit the solid stone built towns of the north-Leeds and Newcastle-on-Tyne, perhaps, for choice—and see the unsleeping toil the Black Country by in glow of the furnace fires at night. Of sea-faring England, Plymouth and old Portsmouth should be the types; but smaller places would not be neglected -Whitby and Penzance, for instance, and, as ex-

amples of fishing villages, Staithes, "I should not hesitate to spend a formed that all Goods are being haded at great deal of time in rural England; and pilgrimages to Cathedral hazardous Godowns of the Hongking and cities would take up most of the remainder. After all, the foundations of the British Empire were laid by a nation of village people. Throughout the greater part of English history the majority of Englishmen have lived in villages and have had their first schooling for social life in the intimate relations which obtain between man and man in the bustling seclusion of the countryside. And where can you get a better idea

of the enduring and fundamental qualities of the English people—its love of peace, its steadiness, its power of consecrating the labour of generation upon generation to the fulfilment of noble purposes—than in the Cathedral towns say, Canterbury, Wells and Southwell! The impression you get there can be reinforced in the villages! A typical village church shows the same quiet

courage, the same persistence. "In a tour of the kind I have imagined neither the village churches nor the great country houses should make me neglect the country towns. I would spend a night, I think, in one of those red, wide-streeted, happylooking little towns which seem always so typically English Mariborough, perhaps, or Amersham, or Henley-in-Arden. I would take care leave the Colony should apply in having arrived from the above rts, that the soldiers from overseas person between the hours of 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. and 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. daily at the Consignees of Cargo by her are beby should see the differences which dis-PASS OFFICE. Post Office Building. informed that all Goods are being kied | tinguish the various shires and some-

tives. Their good effects are experienced

licadsches. liveriabness, costed tongue, foul breath. Obtainable from dealers everywhere, or at 60 cents the viel, from The Dr. Williams Medicine Cdr. 96 Szechnen Boad, Shanghai.

### NOTICES.

The motor union insurance co., Ltd. (Incorporated in England.)

Being Agents for the above COMPANY, we are prepared to issue
POLICIES against FIRE, MARINE LIFE and MOTOR ACCIDENTS as correct rates.

> For further particulars, please apply to :--UNION TRADING COMPANY. Prince's Building. General Agents.

--- FOR ---CARS on HIRE

Experienced Chauffours

Expert Mechanics.

A Large Number of Phone New and Comfortable Cars

Alwayz in Readiness.

GARAGE CO.

50-51 Dos Vesax Road Contral.

977 & 2589

MERCURY

-for-Special Occasions

## GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO.. LD PORTLAND CEMENT.

In Casks of 375 lbs\_net. In Bags of 250 lbs. net.

SHEWAN. TOMES & CO.

GENERAL MANAGERS

Lily of the Valley, Carnation, Rose Supreme, Sweet Pea, Purple Heather, &c. Zenobia Eau de Gologne.

Hair Brushes, Shaving Brushes, Ladies' Combs.

## TELEPRONE 298.

HONGKONG TAILORING CO.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

LADIES' and GENTS' TAILORS, DRESS-MAKERS MILLINERS and DRAPERS. &c.'.

New and up-to-date Materials in Stock.

No. 1 c. D'AGUILAR STREET, CENTRAL,

HONGKONG. TELEPHONE No. 2880.

## Automotive Products Corporation

This advertisement will be of interest to buyers of American made automobiles, lorries and agricultural

tractors, and their parts and accessories. The Automotive Products Corporation of New York, U. S. A.,

is owned and managed by men of reputation and experience in both the export and automotive industries. It is an organization which is an exclusive representative of American makers of a diversified line of automotive products. These have been chosen with great care as representing, first, responsibility and merit; second, commercial value based on comparison with other products of a similar nature. They include automobiles, forries and tractors of all types, automobile accessories and parts, agricultural machinery for tractors, motor driven industrial trucks for railroad, dock and factory use and farm lighting plants. The line is so complete and diversified that it is impossible to describe it in this space. Hence correspon-

Unlike many American export houses, AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS CORPORATION is one which is interested in the buyer's welfare after the product leaves the shores of the United States

The Automotive Products Corporation

Woolworth Building

New York, U.S.A.

dence is invited.

All standard

codes used

Cable address

"Arte rodco"

This mark is the symbol by which may be identified those prefures which have been chosen as standard in Arms iraBY APPOINTMENT.

## ATSON'S GINGER-ALE.

FRAGRANT, AROMATIC, DRY.

Its "Dryness" is a feature which has helped to give this drink the popularity it so well 'deserves.'

> Pints \$1.20 Per Dozen. Splits 70 Cts.

### A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.,

AERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS.

Telephone No. 436.



### Just Received

SPLENDID SELECTION

SEMI-TRIMMED and STRAW

DAINTY LACE and MUSLIN HATS.

> "AMERICAN LADY" CORSETS.

SEVERAL MODELS IN ALL SIZES.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1919.

Of dead men and departing gover nors nothing but good. This simple amplification of the Latin tag was forced upon us by the Colombo references to the departure of the Hon. Mr. R. E. Stubbs, our new Governor. It is not only the demagogue Ramanathan who praises him, executing a quite characteristic volte sace to do so. They all belaud him. We would not give much to be told what Mr. Stubbs privately thinks of it all, because we can guess it quite easily for nothing. We too know Ceylon. If divide et impera be a good policy in India, it must be in Ceylon what racing men call moral certainty." We know of no country where there is a more pronouncedly divided people. There are the true natives, the Sinhalese for the most part united in the name of Buddhism. They are outnumbered by the Tamil invaders of their country, a pushful, shrewd race, not without guile. There are the Moors and Malays, also defined sharply by a religious classification. There are the half-castes,..known in Ceylon as "burghers," a numerous family, and very far from being "mute inglorious heroes" in political fights. And there are the pukka whites, who are in turn divided into more "sets" or cliques or castes than we just now care to enumerate. Ignoring the whites, who may be regarded as very similar in ways, and customs to our people here, we must mention next the existence of inconfessed subdivisions. At least three of the other classes, the Sinhalese, the Tamils, and the Burghers" have more than a sufficiency of self appointed leaders, who watch each other suspiciously for actions taken to gain private ends, and are ready at a moment's notice to let their party down thereby they can gain some coveted distinction or reward. It is ideal political microcosm for cynic, but very disheartening any idealist really concerned for reform. On this you are to realize chief division each its journalistic organ and public orators (never platform shy) and that the main principle of British freedom, namely, that every man has the right to complain as violent ly and vehemently as he likes, has been thoroughly well digested by

them all. It is also necessary to re-

membery if we desire to realize the

seething pot from which our new

Governor has escared to come to

our less heated circle, that while

the various divisions named love

betical demagogue previously named we have it or we haven't, is a great orator, and as occasion or we haven't it but Ramanathan's previous utterances on something apart from mind. There the subject of Mr. Stubbs. It is a peril are many of us, honestly anxious to to which such profuse public orators | learn. are subject. If we want to know what manner, of man our new Governor is, we must not depend on Mr Ramainhabet. Before Mr. Stubbs' promotion, he was according to Mr. Ramanathan. a "youthful colonial office clerk," a "Colonial Secretary who persistently refused informapoint at issue in order to suit his statesmen not also called meddlers purpose." "who played with cards in religion? up his sleeves," and "who is unmind- . The answer is that religion is the

a man of high nobility of soul, and we shall be glad to welcome him to this Colony, where, we are happy to say, the conditions are different. Our Mr. Holyoak need not worry

about Ceylon being further advanced toward Constitutional reform than Hongkong is. Most noise does not necessarily mean most work. We are frankly dubious about much real advancement here on these lines, bu we expect far less for Ceylon. that Crown Colony there will always be a noisier, apparently more earnest and whole-hearted agitation than here, for a popular constitution. But the Government there will always return the non possumus, because the agitators will always be unready for it, unfit and undeserving. Unless, that is to say, a great change takes place in their personal constitutions

"BRAINSTORMS.

lately that we are growing too, ship in the Tennis' Tournament will nervous to entertain an opinion or be played at 4.30 p.m. to-day. The venture a statement that is not match will be between N. E. Kent strictly speaking on our own beat. and T. Mishima. There cannot be much harm in asking questions....Did a merchant late in the afternoon to be answered flags. the same day? Did he seriously mean that it was necessary to put all our clocks on half an hour so as to "very useful in that respect"? Would it be teetotally stupid and foolish to suggest that by dispatching those telegrams an hour earlier the remedy would be more simply and naturally had? If this question be answered in the negative, and some person whose reputation for commonsense is higher than ours will kindly certify that the remedy is reasonable and feasible, may we go on to ask if there was no petitio principii in another speaker's reference to "the active operation of the brain" in commercial circles?

..." MIND AND SPIRIT."

spirit." In the same sermon he emigrants to the Dutch East Indies, admits that we are entitled to cultive on board the s.s. Van Waerwyck. ate and improve our minds. Since the minds of some of us have not yet grasped the concept of "spirit" which his apparently does, he ought to try to make it clear why and how

he distinguishes between spirit. The mind is cultivated by means of evidence. Does the knowledge of the "fact" of and trust each other very much as spirit depend on "faith." or may we dows and cats and sparrows do, they hope by mental effort to obtain an inhave learned to join forces on a tellectual perception of it? The sermon rough working agreement against as printed does not make this clear, the whites, which includes the and clarity is most important. If it Government. Theirs is a League of be an item of faith, then it is beyond Nations to make war. The alpha- argument and outside reason. Either

voice, making speeches in and mon does not help those of us who hire. Four weeks' rigorous out of Council of inordinate length, are still bipartite only. By mind we prisoiment. but he is no fool. There is always are conscious of the body and by method behind his verbosity. Our mind we are conscious of the mind. estimate is that his ad captandum By mind we are conscious of all we successes were meant to show the know, including our consciousness of authorities that he is a power to be consciousness itself. Will the reckoned with, and his surprising preacher, then, please tell us how he lapses into fulsome or fawning achieved the concept of spirit as a Chiese charged with keeping a have influence with the fount seems worth while. It is clear, isn't was used as a club more than a it to the Colonial Secretariat. It is Ceylon papers, discussing the dinner thought that we are conscious of evience to prove it. to Mr. Stubbs, uses the phrase consciousness leads naturally to this, nunters." It exactly expresses the sensations of things, rather than the aslep. Fine \$25.

attitude of many of Ceylon's things themselves. Since Mr. Copley leaders," except that it omits their Moyle is a man, he can only know as frequent impatience and querulous other men know, and he can only ne is, when the gratification of their teach us to know what he knows by a Chinese who was also charged his card for I could not trust him. desires seems more remote than explaining how he got to know. So win attempting to assault the com- I would not release him under any usual. They scold and wheedle in we beg here, for a note from him, turn. This same paper, The People, telling how he got that idea or very unkindly quotes many of Mr. sensation or concept of spirit "as"

"A Critic" in a morning contemporary asks this question: The Jesuits are "political meddlers!" Well, for the sake of fairness and tion,"" who always evades the real impartiality, why are some politician-

ful of the interests of the people." vital concern of all men, but what idays. Now that he is coming to we call "temporal power" should not Hongkong he is (according to be sought by or granted to our rethe same authority) everything that ligious teachers. It distracts them is good and wise. It looks as if we from their more important duty, and had better "wait and see." We when had and abused, causes certainly cannot take Ceylon pro- religion to fall into undesernouncements, either pro or con, at ved disrepute. The average man their face value. It is not for us may succeed as a politician or states. flatly to contradict the Scriptures, man, but a good religious teacher and if the Bible says that all men must be a super-man, undistracted are lia's, we are not going to do by things of lesser moment. Of

it for the sake of the Ceylon course it is an evil thing if statesmen politicians. There are men there, use their power to suppress or Subalese, Tamil, and Burgher prevent free teaching by such men. If you want a clear head and good notables, who have probably each in Some who have been so accused digestion you must not let your bowels turn gone to Mr. Stubbs, professed reply that they were not intolerant come clogged with poisonous waster love for him, warned him against of religious teaching, but of religious hen you become constituted. Proper the deceit and treachery and selfish teachers endeavouring to become hod, an abundance of water and plenty accosted." ness of those others, and then met successful politicians, i.e. seekers of outdoor exercia should keep your together to run him down. A very temporal power. This brings us dowels regular. When that fails you interesting crowd, indeed, worth a question of fact, which it is not formuld take Chamberlain's Tablets. studying, and if Mr. Stubbs have us to decide. But the question whey cause a gentle movement of the retained his faith in human mature have thus answered shows that therete. For sale By All Chemists and lat once to several Members of after years among them, he must be is more than a few lacking in logic torekeepers.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Dollar unchanged-3s 3 15/16d.

Telegrams for America can now accepted for transmission via Japan Bonin.

Mr. C. Thorne has taken the trouble to send us more reading: matter for our soldiers. "Go Thou and do likewise."

Today's return of communicable disease shows three cases of plague two of small pox, and one of cerebrospinal meningitis.

The Rev. T. W. Douglas James and Mrs. James of the E. P. Mission at Chow-chow-fu, Swatow, are at present in the Colony. They are on their way home.

If the weather holds good the We have made so many mistakes final of the open singles champion-

Upon enquiry from the Japanese say at the Chamber of Commerce Consul this morning, the China Mail meeting that he remembered how learns that the Japanese Admiral is cables dispatched in Hongkong be- at Home!" to-day on board "the tween 5 and 6 o'clock invariably Yakumo, which accounts for the fact arrived at the London office just too that that ship was decorated with

> Owing to steamer delay the Howitt Phillips Company will not open their season in Hongkong until Saturday 26 April. All bookings for the several plays remains good, but all tickets already taken up must be exchanged for others bearing the correct dates as per advertisement.

### MAGISTRACY.

(MR. LINDSELL'S COURT.)

AIDING AND ABETTING.

This morning before Mr. R. E. Lindsell two Chinese were remanded in police custody till next Wednesday on a charge of aiding and abetting we "consist of body, mind," and others, to impersonate two assisted

AN INNOCENT ABROAD.

A farmer who had recently come down from the country, in quest of employment, charged a compatriot with snatching a roll of coins to the extent of \$5, from his person, in Cleverly Street.

Complainant " deposed, that struggle ensued between him and his ill-gotten gains to an-Accused was acquitted on the grounds of insufficient evidence.

MISAPPROPRIATION.

think priating \$45 entrusted to him for to assault the police. That sort WHENCE OUR NEW GOVERNOR. serves will inflame a. public meeting we have. Beyond saying that spirit business purposes. Defendant allin Lloyd George's Limehouse manner is the "highest part" of our nature, eged that he was given \$20 only by or (as now) produce a mellifluous, that "part which we have in common complainant, to take delivery of a Let us all adopt the passive method not to say oily, speech of compli- with God," and that it is a part shipment of ground-nuts, but being of asserting our rights, and perhaps. ments. It is notorious that he takes which, uncared for, weakens and dies, short, unded he misappropriated \$18 if we are patient, this wave of pleasure in the sound of his own (all unsupported assertions) the ser- after disbursing \$2 towards coolie Prussianism will pass away.

Impector Kent prosecuting

EXTORTION. llegations of demanding money police Station? planant, a Chinese woman.

coplainant's family, which was a criminal to a certain extent. ver wealthy one. Unhappily the You are a champion Indian faler died and his concubines left the wrestler and you did not care if the be fortunately she contracted a struggle. a appy life until defendant came on a chair but you refused?-I did not aIndian. On one occasion he went ven she refused to give him money. an idea of his demeanour. Her he was "collared" by the Police | The passage explains why we use

Chinese arrested on board cit possession of 74 taels of ium. Mr. E. L. Agassiz representg defendant "pleaded" guilty and marked that the opium was given fendant by another man.

TAKE CARE-OF YOURSELF

SPECIAL CABLE.

[China Mail SPECIAL.]

BERIOUS ACCIDENT TO CAPTAIN BRYBON.

SINGAPORE, April 15. Captain Bryson, who arrived here yesterday, en routs to Hongkong, met with severe injuries whilst diving in

home in a serious condition. · It is understood he left Hongkong for active service, two and a hal

shallow water. He lies at a nursing

His wife is awaiting him there.

RETIRING ON PENSION. MR. F. A. COLEMAN FOR HOME

Accompanied by Mrs. Coleman. Mr. F. A. Coleman, Principal Lighthouse Keeper in the Government service, is leaving for Home by the Colony in June 1892 and took up the position of fourth lighthouse keeper. Hereached the highest grade, Principal

He vacates charge of Green Island Lighthouse. Mrs Coleman speaking to a China Mail man said they hope to see their son, Captain F. H. Coleman, Royal Air Force, very soon. He is Mesopotamia on scouting duties. Mr. and Mrs. Coleman are taking

up residence in Bromley, Kent.

WARNING TO PEDESTRIANS.

DO NOT HIT THE POLICE.

Keep to the pavement. For God's sake keep to the pavement. Or your fate may be even as that of Mr. Jose Maria d'Almada Remedios, who was dragged to the police station and came before Magistrate Orme yester-

Of course, in no circumstances should a citizen assault a policeman. Mr. Remedies was fined \$9 for assaulting Indian Constable 349: not for walking in the roadway.

We trust, however, that our Governor will notice how this order by the Chief of Police is likely to operate. when entrusted to tactless subordinates, and applied to liverish men. The situation reminds, us very much after the latter had passed of that verse in the Rubaiyat which speaks of spreading one or in

path and then imputing his fall to sin. "Oh! The sorry:trade." We do not urge our readers to refrain from walking on the public roads. A Chinese was summoned by his for that is their right. But we do beg of conduct spoils our case, makes us appear merely disorderly persons.

> Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, who was defending Mr. Remedios, thus stated the law. He said that the public could freely cross the road, and forcing people into the verandah was absolutely illegal. The C. S. P's.

instruction was not an established Here is a piece which we hope the speech were to encourage good-will thing separate from mind, so that we lodging house without a licence, in. Governor will see. Perhaps some in those who presumably might may try (honestly) to do it too? It forted the Magistrate, that the place reader had better cut it out and send of honours. One of the democratic it, how the Idealist theory came? The loding house, although they had no report of part of the cross-examina-

tion of the policeman. beguent to a police raid 14 By Mr. Shenton: You did not obsequious as the knighthood that we know only our ideas and colies were found in the place, release my client even when he offer ed his card and suggested that he would go quietly with you to the

byextortion were preferred against | Complainant: I did not accept

circumstances. aspector Macdonald related that You treated him as if he were prioner had been brought up in an ordinary criminal?—He was

rolle, taking everything away with defendant struggled on the way to thu, and complainant was stranded. the Police Station?-He did not mriage with an Indian and pursued |. He asked to be allowed to engage

th scene. He demanded money of refuse, but why should defendant h and admonished her for marrying take a chair when he could walk? Mr. Shenton said that complainsfar as to level a revolver at her ant's answer should give his Worship

f being a pest to the neighbourhood. the word Prussianism. It will let the folk outside, and at Home, have an idea of what pedestrian people, who exposed to here. We desire it to be noted for future

reference (for more will be heard of this, if questions are still allowed in regulation as soon as it learned of it. That was weeks ago, and nothing was done about it. The

occasionally some of them will lose

But we beg them to try their hardest to control their tempers, while we take steps to get this thing attended to. We are writing Home CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM ASSOCIATION.

ANNUAL MEETING,

The second annual general meet ing of the Hongkbng Constitutional Reform Association was held yesterday evening in the City Hall. The Chairman, Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak presided. He was supported by the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, "K.C., the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Messrs. F. B. L. Bowley, A. Forbes, J. W. Graham, A. G. Coppin, J. P. Braga, E. Ormiston, A. Ritchie, H. B. L. Dowbiggin (Hon. Secretary), and E. A. M. Williams (Hon. Treasurer). In opening the Chairman remarked that it was quite evident both from the correspondence which had ap-

peared in the Press, and from the leading articles which appeared after the meeting which dealt with the present form of the constitution, that there was a feeling of disappointment that the Committee had not attempted to go further. Both he and the s.s. China next Tuesday to enjoy, we committee thought it wise to hope, many years in well-earned retire make haste slowly. It would have been extremely foolish to rush matters, as some of their friends wished. It was thought, perhaps, that the Committee were not prepared to go so far as Lighthouse Keeper, in June 1916. some of the ardent advocates at that meeting wished, if any reform was to be obtained. He maintained that if any reform of the Legislative Council was to be obtained whereby they could get more representation they should go into the matter of

> sound Constitutional lines. . It is interesting to note that the same problems have received the attention also of Ceylon where almost identical points were discussed. Ceylon they had gone much further than Hongkong had, because they had laid down very clearly definitely that they wanted greater reform. In the recommendations which the European Association had sent to the Colonial Office the following occurred:

As stated before, the constitution of this Office does not make any provision for the association with the officials in England of any one having a personal knowledge of the Colony, and we believe that in practice no such person is consulted. It appears, on the face of it, impossible for the affairs of any country to be controlled satisfactorily by men living blunders which are made from have had long and recent service or mittee. (Applause). residence in British India. We are the system under which Colonial affairs are handled in London, and in particular that the affairs of this Colony should be directed by a Council, presided over Secretary of State for the Colonies,

composed of officials and unofficials with experience of Ceylon." Mr. Holyoak here commented that if the word "Hongkong" were

meet their own case. from the various Colonies, and that or creed, loyal to the Empire, loyal such senior officers as may be recalled to the Throne—(applause)—British from Ceylon for service in England, subjects, nevertheless, who felt should, after five years' service there, seriously that a condition of affairs retire on full Colonial pension and so which was tolerable to, or at any make way for new men. In this manner the Secretary of State would mid-Victorian era was not neces-

Colony's affairs and needs." We would like to suggest, however, that if the re-organization of at last beginning to learn that the Colonial office which we have recom- business of government was to take mended is approved, steps should be counsel with the average man. The taken to communicate with other main object of that Association was Crown Colonies with a view to to see that the Government took obtaining co-operation in pressing counsel with the average manour demand for reform. Should other (Applause.) As their name implied, Crown Colonies be willing to join they were obliged to see that progress with us the Advisory Board which we and reform, were obtained by conwish to see constituted might be en- stitutional means; in fact they had larged into a general Council of carried out, and intended to carry members from all the Colonies with out, in letter and spirit the sublime separate Committees, to deal with injunction of His Majesty the King the affairs of each several Colony." Continuing, Mr. Holyoak stated Parliament:that what he had read out clearly "We must stop at no sacrifice of cannot afford to ride all the time, are put their own position. They con- interest or prejudice ..... to secure tended that the same need existed better homes, to improve the nation's.

here, and for that reason he had read health and raise the standard of wellout the passage. It was perfectly being throughout the community." true that the Colonial Office, the (Applause) administrative portion of it had no With the exception of Messrs. J the House of Commons) that the administrative portion of it had no With the exception of Messrs. J. China Mail protested against this practical knowledge of the Colonies W. Graham and A.S.D. Cousland the to solve some of their many difficult with the addition of Messys. D. K. ties, and it would promote sympathy. Moss and W. J. Crawford. Police persisted. The pedestrians are if they had permanent officials still being bullied while exercising connected with the different parts vote of thanks to the retiring comwhat Lawyer Shenton says is their of the Empire who had mittee. This met with the approval right. It is only to be expected that served an apprenticeship in the of the members. Colonies and knew its affairs intim-

### HONGKONG MAIL STOL EN.

The Japan Chronicle of March 32 reports: A thief broke into the mailroom of the O.S.K. a.s. Ambinemara on the night of the 19th instant when the steamer-was about to set sail from Kobe harbour for Nagasaki. Six bags of parcels for Manila, three for Hongkong, two of ordinary mails and "a gold watch valued at-Y100were stolent. The thief has not yetr been traced.

### VERS LIBRE.

[Extract. from a private letters Here in Hongkong the unusual is always offensive."]

That's something new, Therefore it must be wrong. Some instinct tells us that the

man who moves Outside the beaten track, the well-

worn rut. Who cannot rest content to think

os we. And our conventions flouts,

s hostile. A menace hie to sleek and sleepy satisfaction. Disturbing influence! If we strike

not now And coush his humbur in the open-

ernorfied.

ine bud. We-us-ourselves, may have to ohange. eross ! A cross !

needs of the Colonies, to whom representations could be made, it would go a long way to solve the problem. In conclusion, he said that the Association intended to continue to press for a reform of the Constitution on reasonable lines and to seek redress for the local community. He moved the adoption of the report and statement of accounts.

This was seconded by Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock and carried unanimously. The Chairman then proposed the election of Hon. Mr. Pollock as President, remarking that he (Mr Holyoak) was leaving the Colony on furlough.

Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster seconded and the proposition was carried unanimously.

Mr. Pollock returned thanks for six thousand miles away who have his election. He said he was sure never seen either the country or they would appreciate the fact that the people whom they control as he had recently undertaken the We are of opinion that the duties as acting Attorney-General he would have been glad to stand aside time to time in important matters for the ensuing year as he had plenty might be avoided if there were of work to occupy his time and associated with the Secretary of attention It was however repre-State persons having long personal sented to him that the cause of Conacquaintance with the Colony. The stitutional reform might possibly Secretary of State for India has a suffer if he did this, and so he Council, of which nine members must accepted the invitation of the Com-

Mr. E. Ormiston proposed, and employer on a charge of misappro- them, whatever the provocation, not further strongly of opinion that it is Mr. A. Forbes seconded, that Mr. of necessary to press for a reform of C. G. Alabaster be elected Vice-President. This received the una-

nimous assent of the meeting. . Mr. Alabaster returned thanks and said the association had been inby the existence long enough for them to know that it had come to stay and look after the interests of the community. (Applause.). He took that opportunity of reminding them not only of what they were but also of substituted for "Ceylon" it would what they were not, because many erroneous things had been said about "We are not at present in posses- the Association, partly in earnest, sion of sufficient information to partly in fun. They were not in enable us to make detailed proposals. any sense examples or manifestations They may be framed at a late date, politically, socially, or industrially after consultation with persons more of that unrest was unhappily intimately connected with the affairs which prevailing in considerable of the Colonial Office. We would, portions of Europe. They were however, suggest that subordinate an Association of British subofficials in London should be drawn jects, without distinction of race

rate tolerated by, those who lived in be supplied with a staff of officers sarily suitable to the condition of having an intimate knowledge of the thought of the present day. (Applause.) Only the other day President Wilson at Paris stated that he was in his speech at the opening of

which it governed. It would go far retiring committee were re-elected

Mr. J. L. McPherson proposed a

The Chairman in acknowledging patience, especially when rudely ately. If that were the case they for the committee said that one of would not receive some of the Ext the hardships a man engaged in traordinary directions they had had public life had to undergo was that of from time to time. If, added to that, being misunderstood. Nevertheless. there were a Standing Committee of a strong man had his own convictions. permanent unofficials with long and was not afraid to carry them! residence in different Colonies, who through because he believed them too had studied more or less the various be true.

PROPOSAL TO ALTER THE CLOCK

DEFEATED. Ross, Thomson. The following firms | gest we should not allow Shanghai' george represented: J. M. Alyts & Co. Independence in this another to war (I: M. Alvest: Areali Bros. (E. el our betjer judgment. As you are Magulli); Asiatic Petroleum Co., Lid. well award the reasons for which the (N. L. Watson and W. H. Bell); Davlight Saving Bill was introduced Bradley & Co., Ltd. J. A. Plane, at Counc. wore, firstly, to save arti-Services, Ltd. (J. H. Wallace); in "the evening. The first" reason Col, Lad. (Hon, Mr. S. H. Dodwell); fact, I think it is the one we have Douglas S.S. 3Co. (H. P. White); decision because out-door exercise Fire Instingued Association of Hong- and recreation, in a climate, such as Route (D. K. Blair); "Walter Ford & ours, are particularly essential afor Co. (J. X. Batalha); Gibb, Living- the maintenance of fitness and ston & Co. (A. O. Tang and G. M. Tefficiency in work. During the last Hakin); Gilman & Co., Ltd. (W. L. few days I have carefully studied all Pattenden): W. A. Hannibal & Co. I the available data in the Colony of (John Robertson), Holland China this subject. I have listened to the Trading Co. (A. W. van Andel); views of staunch adherents of the Mongkong & China Ggs Co., Ltd. scheme and also of those of bitter (G. P. Carry); Hongkong Electric opponents, and at the risk of ap-Co., Ltd. (F. Graham)! Hongkond pearing to seek popularity bly drying Mercantile Co., 1std. (R. H. Kote- to please both sides I must say I wall); Flongkong & Shanghai Bank- have come to the conclusion that Ing Composition (N. J. Stable): Hong- compromise would suit as best, a The ikong & Whampore Dock Co., Ltd. extra hour of sunshine for the sum-(R. M. Dyer); Jardine, Matheson & mer months would undoubledly Co., Lack (Hon, Mendbayd Landale); mean starting out in very liet sun-Baya-Chim-Japan (Lijnt) (J. Jonek, shine for our recreation. An extra theer) (Alane, Crawford & Co. (R. L. Lour in the winter would be a great) Bridger); Leigh N Counge (A. E. blessing but it would mean that we Griffin and W. L. Jack-ki; Liverpool should get up in the dark and the get the neighbouring ports to adopt and London and Globe Insurance docks and industries would have to "Co., Ltd. (d. de B. laneaster); W. start, work in the dark during too R: Boxley & Co. AB: Tennant): Mor- long a period. But I believe if we donald); Mr. G. C. Moxon; Nestle- work out very-well indeed. I have another resolution to pur before you. 'Anglo Swiss Condensed Milk Co. (A. heard it argued in the Colony that but if any member of the Chamber "G. Coppin); New Zealand Insurance we do not work by the clock, that for any prember of the Committee-Co. Ltd. (J. Stankhouse); Peninsal we work as the ships and jobs turn because the Committee are quite And & Oriental Steam Navigation Co. up. That is so even in the best divided in their opinions-would like (E. V. D. Parr); Hon. Mr. H. E. organised concerns and more so, of to propose the original resolution as Pollock, K.C.: Roiss & Co. a Hon, course, in the badly organised ones, advertised he has, of course, perfect Mr., P. H. Holyoaky, Mex Ross & if there are any. But I submit that liberty to do so. Co.: (D: K. Moss): J. M. da Rosha the larger proportion of the Euro. 6 Mr.: Beavis said that he was op-& Co. (J. M. da Royha); Royal In- pean population do pay soure attent posed both to the resolution as ad-Hurance Co., Ltd. (B. Termant); E. tion to the clock and that, a little vertised and to the proposals of the D. Sassoon & Co. (C. Sa Culday); longer evening daylight would be regarding the inethod of procedure. David Sassoon & Co., alled. (E. fit the ineight, if not on all the regarding the inethod of procedure. Ezra); H. Skort & Co. (G) E. Wet- days of the week, at any rate on most he should adopt. He proposed to vton); De Sonsa & Co. (E. V. M. R. of them. There would also be the address the meeting after the resolude Souza); Standard Oil Co. of New advantage in the summer of getting tion, as advertised, had been pro-Mork (W. B. Walker); Stewart Bros. to the office at an earlier, and con- posed as he thought that if he ad (E. A. Ormiston); Union Ending Co. sequently cooler part of the day, dressed those present then and these, (S. M. Churn and V. Barretto); while in the winter months I assume the resolution would the detented Wilkinson & Crist (C. E. H. Beagis); that the extra half hour would just before anyone had had a chance to Harry Wicking & Co. (AreForbest.

This meeting was called for the gutdoor gereation instead of frepurpose, of considering, and, if quenting billiard rooms and bors and thought fit, to pass the following indulging in other indoor pastimes, resolution: " that it is the desire of the well-being generally of the Colony.

as request to introduce the system ling season, and they, I think, chiefly

thour at 12 inidnight on 30th who has no time sheet to sign when THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH. I one other advantage which may not Addressing the meeting, the Hon. have occurred to you. In ordinary Mr. Landale said: Gentlemen,-The times when cables are working norcalling of this meeting was not due mally-Heaven knows, gentlemen, to any sudden impulse, on the part whether that will ever come againof your committee to thrust a day. I remember that cables dispatched light saving scheme upon the Colony. In Hongkong between 5 and 6 o'clock The matter was brought up because invariably arrived in our London Shanghai adopted a daylight saving office just too late" in the afternoon scheme to the extent of advancing, for them to be attended and replied the clock one hour, commencing on to the same day! The advance of the 12th of April last and finishing the clock, even to the extent of half on the 30th of September. Certain an hour, would be very useful in that interests approached your committee respect. A study of the hours of to ask their opinion, stating that for some institutions, such as the banks, it might be somewhat inconvenient if there was such a large difference time, at 7,0 a.m., in December at in time between here and Shanghai. 7.25. in January at 7.86, in Febru-Your committee felt that an opinion on such an important point could not possibly be given without calling a fell meeting of the Chamber. Daylight enving, in spite of serious op- before sunrise, so, that I presume position at first, is, I believe, now popular at Home and in America, and I believe, also, in India and wither places. Perhaps, therefore, it May, adding 80 minutes, would be any rate cease for the most part the is as well that we should endeayour to decide, once and for all, whether 7.41 and in August 7.25, so the it is worth while making any representation in this respect to th Government of this Colony. The accolution before you is in no way the outcome of the considered opinion of your committee. It is merely a resolution based on what done been adopted in Shunghai and put forward as a basis for discussion. We lind very short notice of Shanghai's intention and as their change came into force on the 12th of this the resolution was, perhaps, some

a complimental tender my apologies

(Loughtler.) Although it may be desirable, for some reasons, to have CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. the same time here as in Shanghai I think it would be a mistaky to adopt a similar measure if it does not suit our amount of day-light and sun-shine because we must bear in anind that in any exten day-light we and Tramcar No. 42 were going in A special extenordinary general should get a good deal of its would the same direction, along Queen's

mireting of the Hongkong General be accompanied with very hot sun- Road towards East. Unfortunately Chamber of Commerciages held yes, shine. Shaughai would appear to for the Chinaman he was in the way terday afternoon, probided over by think, that it is quite immaterial and knocked down by the tram car. the Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell who whether we are on the selve foot, Two Indian police were thereabouts mus supported by the following mem- ing or not for the simple reason that and laid him out unconscious alongside berseges the Committee; The Hon, they have not taken the trouble to the roadway. Indian P.C. 16 at Mr. P. H. Holyonk, Hon. Mr. D. consult us, but tills may be due to once; sent off his compatriot on a Landa le and Messes, E. V. D. Parr, the fact that they originally intended tramcar proceeding, westward, for N. II. Stabb, O.B.E., C. S. Gubbay, lonly to after their business hours and IA. O. Lang, J. A. Phummer and W. Inot their chees! Therefore, I sug-

mer); Butterfield & Swire (W. Ross ficial light, and, secondly, to give Thomson); Canadian Pacific Ocean workers a douger period of recreation Canton Insurance "Office, Ltd. [D. cannot be said to exist to any great G. M. Bernard); China Sugar Refin: extent out here. It may possibly ing Co., 14d. (C. W. Beswick), exist in some degree. The second Commisseed Union "Assurance "Co., reason, from our point of view, is by II. (G. Dambarton); Dodwell & far the more important fore. In [Donnelly & Whyte (D. E. Donnelly): I mainly to consider in gonning "to" a

enable workers to engage in some speak in its favour. which I am sure would make for the merchants of Houghong that this (Laughter.) In fact the only hard Colony adopt the Daylight Saving ship I can find, from the point of System to the extent of one hour, view of recreation if we adopt the from 1st May next, until 30th scheme all the year round, would September next, and that the fall on that little band of enthu-Government be approached with siasts who run ponies, in the train-

by putting forward the clock one consist of the nuch maligned taipan be arrives at the office. There is sunset and sunrise shows that i

> add 30 minutes on to our present ary at 7.25 and in Mirch at 7.2. Those are the worst months of the year. Official day, during the wat commenced about twelve manutes about twelve minutes before the times I have mentioned there wou be more or less daylight. Sunseb in at 7.26 p.m., in June 7.88, in Ju dining in daylight, in fact I do not think it would be. In December sunset would be at 6.11 p.m., in Junu-

in Marsh of 7.8. If it is not dark until approximately 10 minutes after sunset I think these times confirm what I have said that the hulf on hour change would just enable outdoor recreation to be taken during month it seemed destable that this these months. We approached the meeting should be held at the ear Chamese Chamber of Commerce on liest possible moment. The draft of this matter, and they unanimously decided to support the draft resoluwhat hurriedly made out and I have then which this meeting was called it may be decided, once and femalia heard some criticism of the use of the consider. Porsonally, while ... tine word merchant. To those of third that, a difference of one hour you who are not merchants and do between the time here and in thang not look upon the use of the word as that might be inconvenient. I do not

TRAMCAR ACCIDENT.

CHINAMAN KNOCKED SENSE LESS IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

At 1.35 this afternoon a Chinaman the motor ambulance. After 15 minutes the injured man recovered consciousness into a some a extent, when he commenced to emit blood. etc. from his mouth. He then went offinto oblivion again. At 2 p.m. the China Mail man left the spot. There was then no sign of the motor ambulance. So far as could be seen the man's injuries are internal. (The ambulance arrived soon after two

> LAUNCH SUNK BY STEAMER.

30 WOMEN AND CHILDREN DROWNED.

A river steam launch, Tain Chung Hua collided with a Hongkong steamer, Kwong Tai, at Samshui last Saturday, April 12, sinking the ldunch, drowning more than thirty passengers, mostly women and children, according to reports just received here. The Tai Chung Hua had nearly a hundred passengers on board. The launch was coming from

think half an hour all round would matter very much, and I am sure if the Government adopted any recominendation we might see fit to anake | 23rd day of April, 1919, at 12 o'clock that they would do their utmost to a similar schome. We have written !-to the Canton British Chamber of Commerce but, so far, have had no cantile Bank of Tridia, Ltd., (E. L.) split the difference and made it half reply. Well, gentlemen, I do not. Sim); Mustard & Co. (J. H. Scott); an hour all the year round it would [propose to put forward the resolu-Macdonald & Co. (Donald Mac. be found in practice-that this would tion which was advertised. I have

The Chairman: As no one wishes to propose the resolution as advert-

ised, I propose my resolution: "That it is the desire of the members of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce in this Colony to give a trial to the Daylight Saving system to the extent of half an hour from 1st May next to 30th April, 1920, and that the Government be approached with a request to introduce the system by putting forward the clock half

an hour at midnight on April 30 The Hon Mr. Holyoak said: Mr. baimman and Gentlemen,-I rise to second the resolution which has been proposed and in doing so.I must confess to a perfectly open mind on the matter. I second the resolution because, so far us my own thought upon the subject goes, I think it will be to the general benefit of the Colony as a whole. It will be o benefit in the summer time because during the hottest part of the year the offices will commence their work at an earlier hour, and think it is the common know-November the sun would rise, if you ledge of all of us that the best work is invariably done during the earlier part of the day. When the cable system becomes normal once again we shall be able to do the important part of the work conbodied in the cables before the real heat of the day sets in and, after office hours on a very hot day, although it may be perfectly true that Bedsteads, large and small Wardrobes, it will be too curly for exercise owing to the heat of the sun, we shall at active operation of the brain under Waggons, Retension Dining Tables very trying conditions. So much and Chairs, &c., Dinner Services, for the summer. During the autumn Creekery, and good Glass Ware, months of the year would hardly be and winter much will be gained by Cooking Stores, Cutlery, the Colony through the fact that sufficient time will be left open for out. Ware. door exercise us opposed to visits to Electric Reading Lamps, Blackwood billiard rooms, hans and other indoor ary at 6.29, in February at 6.49 and pastimes - (applause) - which, anof course, will be good for the office staffs und will mean more efficient work. The Chidiman has already explained to you that the Committee idself, in divided upon this subject; We have no desire to force a recolu-

tion on this meeting. Far from.

We want this fullest and freest dis-

cussion of the whole subject so that

whether it will be wise to make any

change or not, and, if so, to what

axtemb. For that number I second

(Opplinurd on Page A.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

LUSITANO RECREATION CLUB.

TWELFTH ATHLETIC MEETING. PATRONS:-

H. E. The Officer Administering the Government. H. E. Vice-Admiral Commander-in-chief, China Station, "H. E. Major. Genor-L F. Ventris. Commedore Gurnel His Lordship Bishop D. Poznoni, Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, C.M.G., Consul E.V.M.R.

The Committee has much pleasure in inviting the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Colony to their Sports at the Race Course (by kind permission of the Hongkong Jockey Club) on Easter Monday the 21st April commencing at

There will be two open events :--220 yds. Championship, open to all Bona Fide Amateurs in the Colony under the Rules of A.A.A.—\$1. One mile Relay Race, open to unit of 4. \$2.00 per unit.

By kind permission of the Officers the Band of the 18th. Infantry will play during the afternoon.

By courtesy of the Management there will be special tramears. J. C. BARRETTO,

Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, April 16, 1919.

HONGKONG TRAMWAY CO., LTD. (incorporated in the United Kingdom.)

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN . the ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG TRAMWAY COMPANY LIMITED will be held at the Offices of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & COMPANY LIMITED, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the noon, to transact the ordinary business. of the Company.

By Order of the Board, W. E. ROBERTS, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 16, 1919.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned have received into structions to sell by Public Auction. (For Account of the Concerned).

WEDNESDAY. April 23, 1919, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their pour Corner of

. Ice House Street. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF USEFUL HOUSEHOLD LINENS, DRAWN WORK, & EMBROIDERIES,

Comprising: HOUSEHOLD LINENS :- Single and Double Plain and Hemstitched Sheets, cillow Cases, Double White Satin Quilts, Linen Damask Servicties, Glass Cloths 8ath Towels, Face Towels, &c., &c. DRAWNWORK :- Bedspreads, Pillow Cases, Tray Cloths, &c. &c. EMBROIDERIES:-Bedspreads, Table

Lovers, Tea Cloths, Runners 18 by 54 in. A few lots of Suit Cases and Attache Cases.

(All new goods and small lots to suit ourchasers). Terms:-Cash.

HUGHES & HOUGH. Auctioneers

Hongkong, April 16, 1919.

(For Account of the Concerned.)

WEDNESDAY.

April 23, 1919, commencing at 2,30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Veux Road, Corner of Los House Street, .

TEARWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE, BRASS AND BRASS. MOUNTED DOUBLE AND TWIN BEDSTRADS, OURTAINS, CARPETS, &c. &c.

Comprising :-

Chesterfield Sofas, (naw) Folding Card and Occasional Lables, One Upholstered Suite, Bedroom Furniture, comprising Teakwood Twin Drorning Tables, Washstands, &c., (fumed Teakwood), Sideboards, Dinner Bath Room Utensils, Flectro-Plated

and Teakwood Screens, a quantity of Blackwood Firmiture, Blackwood Fire Scroen, Side Tables, Chairs, Cabineta, Pictures & Oil Paintings, Several Oarpets new and second hand.

College & Collard Piano (good tone) one | Losinellod Bath and one Large Ops Cooking Stove, and Proumatic tyred Ricksha (NEARLY NEW). (Full Particulars from Catalogue).

Terms ;- Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioners. Hongkong, April 10, 1919.

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL. HONGKONG.

> EASTER SUNDAY AT 3 P.M.

SPECIAL SERVICE YOUNG PEOPLE.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH. WEST POINT, HONGKONG.

The above CHURCH will be open

after repairs, on EASTER SUNDAY

SERVICES-8 A.M. HOLY COMMUNION.

11 A.M. MORNING PRAYER, HOLY COMMUNION and SERMON.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, April 22, 1919. commencing at 11 a.m. at No. 5 godown of the Hongkong &

Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd. (Kowloon). 100 bags Castor Seeds. 225 bundles Planks (stored in No

14 Open Passage). 84 logs Borneo Teak (stored in Timberyard, Kowloon Inland

Lot 211). 50 bundles Mild Steel Bars (stored in No. 10 Godown). .. 34 kegs Wire Nails (stored in No.

10 Godown), " Terms :-- Oash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, April 23, 1919. commencing at 11 a.m. at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street. An Assortment of Wines and Spirits.

Comprising .:-

Port, Red Port, White Port, Remy Martin Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Grayes Supericure, Barsac, Cerons, Haut Barsac, Sauternes, Medoc, St. Estophe, St. Julien, Pauillac, Chateau Moulin de Soubeyran, Chateau des Carmes Haut Brion, etc.

The above will be put up in lots suitable to purchasers. On view from Tuesday, the 22nd

Torms :-- Cash on delivery. "GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Austioneer Hongkong, April 16, 1919. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "ECUADOR."

Fim Ban Francisco, Honolulu APAN PORTS. SHANGHAI AND MANILA.

above-mentioned vessel hiving I rrived from the above-mentioned ports. Colgness of Cargo are hereby informed thatheir Cargo will be landed; at their sistinto the Hazardous and/or extra Hardons Godowns of the Hongkong and Kohon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kobon, and stored at Consignous risk, Gignees of Cargo are hereby notified thatey must produce an Import Permit aign by the Superintendent of Imports and ports, Hongkong, before Bills of

Lad can be countersigned. Aroken, chaled and damaged Goods are be left in the Godowns where they wille examined on April 22, 1919. Alaima must be presented within a mount the steamer's arrival here, after whichey cannot be recognized.

Nilliam will be admitted after the Goodays left the Godowns and all Good remaining undelivered tafter pit, 1919, will be subject to rent. Nore Insurance whatever will be

Conses are requested to send in thur la of Lading for countersignature PACIETO MAIL B.S. Co.

J. ORAM SHEPPARD, Ading Agent. Hopng, April 16, 1919.

NOTICE.

HREYS & CO. Sham Canton have this day been binted AGENTS for and distribution of the MAIL" in Can-

on althe surrounding dis-

NOTICES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

SOLE AGENTS FOR SPALDING'S ATHLETIC GOODS.

JUST RECEIVED

BRITISH MADE STEAM TARRED

TENNIS NETS

DIRECT FROM THE MANUFACTURERS.

ALL MODELS.

PRICES FROM \$3.75 EACH.

WATER POLO

JAQUES CROQUET SETS

BASE BALL GEAR

医四层高性 电电阻电阻 人

**医四八月日日日日日日** 

**通信。 自動機器のおり**な

() 日本自己自己自己的なな

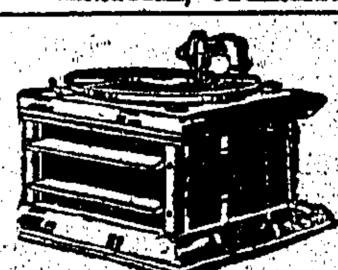
**医医院性后的性后**原数

**医医医检查检验检验检验** 

BALLS MALLETS SPECIAL TERMS TO CLUBS AND COLLEGES

COLUMBIA

GRAFONOLAS AND RECORDS SUPPLY YOU WITH MUSIC FOR EVERY MOOD. CLASSICAL, OPERATIC, SONG AND DANCE



ANDERSON MUSIC COY., LTD.

16. DES VŒUX BOAD.

TEL. 13.2.

MONARCH REMINGTON. AND SMITH PREMIER

The second second second second second second

TYPEWRITERS.

ENQUIRIES AND INSPECTION INVITED MUSTARD & CO., 4. DES VOICE ROAD CENTRAL. TELEPHONE 1186,

AGENTS in POOCHOW, AMOY, BWATOW and CANTON : BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.

COLONIAL DISPENSARY.

FANOY PERFUMES. EAU DE COLOGNE. TOILET SOAPS, MANICURE SETS.

SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

COLONIAL DISPENSARY.

14. Queen's Road, Central. Telephone No. 1877.

BURGOYNES Pty., Ltd.

SPECIALLY SELECTED BURGUNDY.

WINE GROWERS TO H. M. THE KING.

Note the Great Reduction in Price:

Burgundy Reserve per case I doz. Quarts duty paid \$20. 2 doz Pints

BOLE AGENTS

GANDE, PRICE & CO., LTD.

WINE MERCHANTS,

Tel. No. 188.

4, QUERN'S EDAD, SENTRAL

ZIAR OF

(COMPANIES incorporated in ENGLAND)

STRAITS & BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA PERSIAN GULF, AUSTRALASIA, WEST INDIES, MAURITIUS, EAST & SOUTH AFRICA, RED SEA, EGYPT, EUROPE, ETC. SAILINGS FOR ...

> MARSEILLES & LONDON. VIA STRAITS, COLOMBO AND PORT SAID.

8.8. leave Hong- kong about		Due Marsellies about	Due Leedon		
NELLORE"	27th April	2nd June	10th June		
ų,			10 - 10 mg		
• 11	SINGAPORE, COLO	OR MBO AND BOMBAY.			
DONERA"	18th April at Noon.	due Bomba lst May			
11.	SHANGHAI, M	OJI, KOBE &c.			
	20 A		n e		

Wireless on all stoamors. FOR PASSAUE RATES, HAND-BOOKS FREIGHTS, &c. apply to:-MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO. Des Vaux Road Contral, HONGKONG. Agents.

### OCEAN TRANSPORT CO., LTD. (TAIYO KAIUN KAISHA).

FOR VANCOUVER AND SEATTLE.

or Space and Particulars apply to DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents,

### NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FTIAKING Cargo on through Bills of Lading to SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS with transhipment at CALCUTTA, in conjunction with the INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD. AND APCAR LINE Sailings from Hongkong. .

For freight & further particulars apply to DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

### KAISHA

(SOUTH SEA MAIL S. S. CO.)

Extular Service of Steamers Between Japan, Hongkong, Singapore, Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya, FOT JAVA.

TOT JAPAN.

For Freight or Passage apply to DODWELL & CO., LD., Agents,



LONDON & ANTWERP ... Monthly direct service via Singapore and Port Said. CHIFUKU MARU .....Sunday, 27th April. GENOA & BOMBAY { Monthly service, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading with trinshipment at Bombay to Company's steamers. ETARSEILLES ...... Monthly direct service via Singapore and Port Said. BUENOS, AIRES, RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTOS, MAURITIUS, DURBAN & CAPE TOWN via SINGAPORE. COLOMBO - Begular fertnightly service via Singapore. BOMBAY

SYDNEY, MELBOURNE - Monthly service calling at AUCKLAND, N.Z. and ADZLAIDE, KOHSO MARU ......Wednesday, 16th April. VICTORIA. VANCOUVER, SEATTLE, TACOMA.

Regular fortnightly services touching at intermediate ports in Japan and taking cargo to OVERLAND POINTSU.S. in connection with Chicago, Milwankee and St. Poul Railway.

CHICAGO MABU ......Saturday, 19th April. HAIPHONG—Three times a month service.

DAITOKU, MARU"......Tuesday, 22nd April. JAPAN PORTS.-MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

EXECUNG. TAKAO VIA SWATOW, AMOY These steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st and 2nd class Saloon Passengers and will arrive and depart from the SOON YIP WHARP, near the Harbour Office.

For TAKAO via SWATOW and AMOY. SOSHU MARU......Thursday, 24th April at 9 a.m. FOR KEELUNG via SWATOW and AMOY. KALJO MARU ......Sunday, 20th April, at 10 a.m.

For sailing dates and further particulars please apply to-K. YAMASAKI, Manager. No. 1, Queen's Building. Tel. No. 744 & 745.

## JAVA-PACIFIC LINE

JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN LIJN

Monthly Service between METH. INDIA, MANILA, HONGEONG AND SAN FRANCISCO.

The steamers are all fitted throughout with electric light and have

accommodation for a limited number of salcon-passengers. All steamers carry a duly qualified surgeon. Cargo taken on through Bills of Lading to all Overland Foints to the United States of America and Canada.

For Particulars of Freight and Passage apply to the JAVA-CHINA-JAPAN- LIJN, ...

GENERAL MATACERS. Telephone No. 1574. York Buildings

DESCRIPTION

executed at the Offices of

5. Wyndham Street.

### SHIPPING

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

4		
BHANGHAI	Sunnino	April 17, at Noon.
SHANGHAI'L TSINGTAO	KWANGSE	April 20, Daylight.
BWATOW & BANGKOK		
SHANGHAL	SINKIANO	April 22, at Noon.
SHANGHAI	SUTTANG	April 24, at Noon.
TIENTSIN		
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO		
SHANGHAI LINE—PASSE	NGERS, MAIL	and CARGO. Excellent
Saloon accommodation similahips.	llectric Light ar	d Fans in Saloon and
- Diamen	a kakamaa Oulka	17  -

State-rooms. Regular schedule service between Canton, Bongkons, Shanghai (thrice weekly) and Tsingtso (weekly), taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtue and Northern China Ports. Passengers are landed in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transhipment at Woosung.

BANGKOK LINE.—Weekly service to and from Bangkok via Swatow.

For Freight or Passage apply to-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Telephore No. 36. AGBNTS.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJIOT TO ALTERATION).

SHANGHAI via SWATOW...HOPSANG ......THURSDAY, April 17, Daylight............LOONGSANG......THURSDAY, April 17, at 3 p.m. STRAITS & CALCUTTA ...... KWAISANG ...... SATURDAY, April 19, at 3 p.m. KOBE SUNDAY, April 20, Daylight. KORE CHARSANG TUESDAY, April 22, Daylight. bhanghai.....CHOYSANG .....TUESDAY, April 22, Daylight. MANILA. YUENSANG ......FRIDAY, April 25, at 3 p.m.

CALCUTTA LINE:—This line is now being re-organized and will shortly afford frequent and regular sallings to Calcutta via Singapore and Penang.

Returning from Calcutta steamers proceed via Strates and Hongloop to Japan, occasionally calling at bhanghal.

All steamers have excellent passenger accommodation, are fitted with Electric Light and Fans and carry a fully qualified Surgeon.

BHANGHAI LINE :- Sailings approximately every five days between Canton and Shanghai, Stewart on this line have a limited amount of passenger accommodation, and through tickets one be obtained for Nuthern and Yangters Ports via Shanghai. Through Be/Luding are issued to all Northern and Yangters Ports. MANITA LINE:— As weekly service is maintained with Manila by vessels with good passenger accommodation; sallings from both ports every Friday. HAIPHONG LINE .- Sailings approximately weekly for passangers and cargo, calling at

BORNEC LINB .- One salling per month between Hongkong and Sandakan by a steamer having targo taken on through bills of Lading for Kndat, Jesselton, Labuen, Tawan and TIRNTHIN LINE :—A regular service is run from March'to October between Hongkong and Tientsin, calling at beingiver and Chetoo. Union Straits Locale ment busport Regulations. All European Passengers, leaving the Colony for Straits Settlements, are required to produce on arrival at destination passports with their Photographs and description affixed thereto.

Tel. No. 215,

For Preight or Passage, apply to THE GENERAL MANAGERS JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd.,

## ADMIRAL LIVA

PACIFIC ETFANSEIF (C.

TRANS-PACIFIC FREIGHT SERVICE RECITE AD SAULINCO

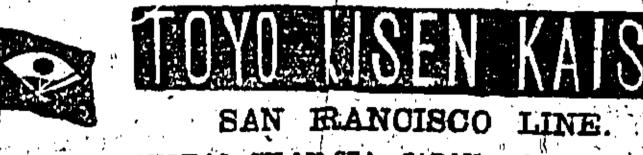
CHINA, MANILA, SINGAPORE, JAPAN and SEATTLE.

> S.S. "SENATOR," sails for SEATTLE April 20th. FOR FREIGHT AND PARTICULARS APPLY TO:

### THE ADMIRAL LINE,

JOHN J. GORMAN, GENERAL AGENT.

Fifth Floor, Hotel Mantions. Telephone 2888 & 2998.



SHANGHAL INLAP SEA, JAPAN and HONOLULU.

PART AND LUXUIOUS MAIL STRAMERS Hallings from Hongkong-ubject to change without notice. Leave Hongkong. Steamers KOREA MABU...... 2000 ...... 28th Feb. from Yokohama KOREA MARU...... ,000 ...... 25th April from Yokohama TENYO MARU ...... 5th May.

SHINYO MARU .......2000 ...... 21st May. 0,000 ..... 22nd May from Yokohame SIBERIA MARU ..... PERSIA MARU ..... 9,000 ..... 18th June. MERICAN LINE SOUTH

HONGKONG to VALIBATED VIA JAPAN, HONOLULU. HAN PRANCISCO, SAPEDRO, SALINO ORUZ, BALBOA. CALLACABICA and IQUIQUE Thenco by Transadean Route to Buenes Aires.

n. Leave Houghong: Breament .... may 3rd. SETYO MARU..... Tickets are interchanges with the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd. and the Pacific Mail Steamship.

Passengers may travel bil between ports of call in Japan free of charge.

For full information as stee, sailings, etc., apply to— T. DAIGO, MANAGER,

Telephone Nos. 2374 an375.

THOS. OOK & SON. Tourist, Steamship Forwarding Agents, Bankers etc.

OFFICIALISENGER AGENTS TO EJPPINE GOVERNMENT.

KING'S BUILDING.

TICKETS SUPPLIEDALL PARTS of the WORLD at Tariff Bates. LETTERS of CHEE and CIRCULAR NOTES ISSUED and CABHED, BAGGAGE collected, sarded and insured at lowest rates.

Dook's "PAR EASIN'TRAVELLER'S GAZETTE," containing Beilings and Baren the Far East to all parts of the World, will be forwarded free pplication.

Triagraphic Address " ON." THOS. COOK & SON. Hongkong Hotel Buildings, Hongkong. Tu'sphone No. 524. Also BHANK, PEKING, YOKOHAMA, MANILA. ORIZI OFFILUDGATE CIECUE, LORDON, Z.C.

### SHIPPING

## OCEAN LIM ITED SERVICES

PACIFIC SERVICE

SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG to VANCOUVER Via NAGASAKI (or Moji) Kobe and Yokohama, ... STEAMER, FROM HONGKONG. ARRIVE VANCOUVER. Empress of Russia 1st May. 19th May. Empress of Asia... 29th May. 16th June. Empress of Russia 26th June. 14th July. Empress of Japan 9th July. 30th July, Empress of Asia... 24th July. 11th Aug. Monteagle .... 2nd Aug. 26th Aug. Empress of Russia 21st Aug. 8th Sept. Empress of Asia... 18th Sept. 6th Oct. "FARIS HONGKONG TO EUROPE. "EMPRESS OF RUSSIA"
"EMPRESS OF ASIA" ......Gold \$491.00 "EMPRESS OF JAPAN" 00:8456 blob.....Boid \$456:00

Payable in Local currency at demand rate on New York. EFor particulars, regarding passage fares, as il-ings and reservation of accommodation, also itineraries of trips and descriptive literatures. For freight rates and through bills of lading ria Vancouver, in connection with Cannilar Pacific Railway to all Overland Points in Canada

P. D. BUTHERLAND, Constal Apat, Passenger Department.

"MONTEAGLE"

and United States, also to Europe and West ladios, apply to J. H. WALLACE, PHONE 42. Conoral Agent.

HONGKONG.

### STEAMSHIP CO., LTD

General Managers.

HONGKONG & SOUTH CHINA COAST PORT SERVICE.

EGULAR SERVICE of Fast, High Class Coast Steamers having good Accommodation for First Class Passangers. Electric Light and Fans in Statercome and Salcons. Excellent Cuisine. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW

AND RETURN. (Occupying 9 to 10 Days)

PERMIT CLITALIA HAITAN ..... | Capt. A. H. Stewart..... | SUNDAY, 20th April at 10 a.m. SWATOW.

Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (near Blake Pier). "For FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to-DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

FREIGHT, AND : PASSENGERS:

"OHINA" (15,000 tons, American Registry).

(10,200 tons, American Registry) SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG FOR

SAN FRANCISCO VIA SHANGHAI, JAPAN PORTS & HONOLULUI

"NANKING" "CHINA" June 19th, 1919. April 22nd, 1919. AN UNSURPASSED HIGH CLASS

O. H. RITTER, Freight and Passenger Agent. Prince's Buildings, Ice House Street. Tel. 1934.

### INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

PASSENGER SERVICE.

Cargo carried on through Bills of Lading from HONGKONG to BEIRA DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN (Natal), EAST LONDON, PORTELIZABETH and DAPE TOWN with transhipment at COLOMBO to Steamers of the INDIAN AFRICAN LINE.

PROPOSED BAILING. FROM HOMORONO: Connecting with

FROM COLOMBO: EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION FOR 1ST AND 2ND CLASS PASSENGERS.

### ORIUNTAL AFRICAN LINE

Regular Direct Service from JAPAN, CHINA and STRAITS to BEIRA, DELAGOA BAY, DURBAN, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH and CAPE TOWN, calling at MAURITIUS on route and affording the Quickest Freight Trinsport from the ORIENT to SOUTH AFRICA.

For dates of departure, Rates of Freight, apply to-THE BANK LINE, LTD. MANAGING AGANTS,

ELLERMAN"

(Ellerman & Bucknall Steamship Co., Ltd.) JAPAN, CHINA AND STRAITS KINGDOM & CONTINENT. FOR PARTICULARS OF SAILINGS SHIPPERS ARE

REQUESTED TO APPROACH THE UNDERSIGNED. LONDON AND ANTWERP ..... BASSANO ..... About 20th April. Subject to charge without notice, THE BANK LINE, LTD

Or to REISS & Co., Capton. General Agents.

### TO THOSE GOING AWAY

Keep in touch with local happenings by subscribing to

All the News of Hongkong and the Far East. ORDER BEFORE YOU LEAVE, SO THAT YOU MAY RECEIVE IT WHILE AWAY.

PROM \$18 YER ARRUN, DECLIDED POSTAGE, CAN BE MATLED TO ANY ADDRESS PROM THE CEINA MAIL OFFICE

## SMORING AT Y.W.C.A.S.

### A VEXED QUESTION.

There is frightful dissension at the sign of the Blue Triangle, which marks the quarters of the Young Women's 'Christian Association, writes the Pioneer's lady correspondent in Lodon. Certain of the Young Women wish to smoke. In one or two centres a room has actually been set apart for this unseemly practice. The Council are up in arms and strict enquiry has been set. on foot. The girls imbued with the feminine spirit which "has demanded votes and seats in Parliament insist on equal rights with the men. At the sign of the Red Triangle men' smoke, they say. The Y. M. C. A. provide cheap cigarettes along with their free notepaper. Why are the Christian Young Women to be barred from the pleasant vice? A smoking lounge as an adjunct to the Bible classes, short-hand lessons and cooking lectures of the ordinary Young Women's Christian Association may sound unsuitable, but the girls are out for their cigarettes and mean to get them. Meantime the unregenerate smile a little or prescribe free rations of chocolate instead of Woodbines-but the issue is not in doubt. Woman can achieve anything nowadays. For the first time in the history of Parliament women reporters sat in the Press Gallery when the King opened the session. The Ladies' Gallery is, however, not yet open to men. .

### RED REVOLUTION.

Red revolution" undiluted was the keynote of the conference and public meeting recently held by the Bolsheviks of Great Britain and Ireland in the Memorial Hall. Farringdon Street, London.

The gatherings were held under the auspices of the London Workers" Committee. "Long live Bolshevist Russia" was inscribed on a scroll which extended across the platform. The ostensible object of the conference and meeting was to demand the immediate withdrawal of the Allied troops from Russia, but the occasion was taken to preach "revolution."

The conference was held with closed doors and a resolution was passed demanding the withdrawal of the Allied troops from Russia, the raising of the blockade, definite proof that no arms, money, or aid of any shape, or kind were supplied for the purpose of breaking down the Russian revolution, and a pledge that the Government would not further interfrere with the internal affairs of Russia. The resolution proceeded to threaten, if these demands were not complied with, to organize a general strike and to bring the industries of the country to a standstill.

BEARING OF FANATICS. No greybeards were present. The delegates and others present were of middle age, or were young men, many of whom had the bearing of fanatics. They had thin faces, burning eyes, long han, and collariess necks. A collar, of course, is sugrestive of the hated capitalist. A considerable sprinkling of women and girls was present.

A striking feature of the meetings, especially the conference, was the predominance of the foreign element. Yiddish, Russian and half a dozen other languages and dialects were to be heard as the delegates stood talking among themselves. At recent Labour meetings foreigners from the East End of London have been increasingly in evidence.

More significant, perhaps, than the speeches were the "side winds" which blew from the galleries and elsewhere. "Don't forget the meeting of the blue bottles' to-morrow night." "No; we won't," was the response. ("Blue bottles" is used as a colloquialism for the police force.) "I have been asked a question

downstairs whether we can get into touch with the Printers' Union, so that we can seize the Press," said Mr. Watson, one of the speakers. " I said, We can'." (Loud cheers.) ."Have you got your soldiers councils formed?" was another

question from the sudience. "That is going on all right," came the reply.... NEARLY 500 DELEGATES. Nearly 500 delegates attended the

conference. Edward Soemus. 2 Russian violinist, first charmed the audience by his music, and then roused them with a speech. Afterwards he played the funeral march of the Russian Revolution, and the audience stood in tribute to the memory of Liebknecht and Rosa

Luxemburg.
The chairman said the deaths of Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg were not the end of Bolshevism in Germany. "Their spirits call you to action," he said. "We will set up the same thing here."

Mr. G. A. K. Lubani, of the Industrial World Workers, an Indian', called for a general strike. Desmon Ryan, representing the Irish Socialist Party, demanded that Ireland be left

We are going to have revolution here just as they have it in other countries," said Miss Sylvia Pank hurst. How many of you," she asked, were cheering in the Albert. Hall for Wilson's League of Nations?" Way, the League of Nations, is onlyprepared for the one purpose of crushing liberty. We have only one life in this world Cannot we see the revolution-in-our time To Cannot we live in it and enjoy it?

8H PPIE

## & O.-BRITISH INDIA & APCAR LINES

(COMPANIES incorporated in ENGLAND) MAIL AND PASSENGER SERVICES

TRAITS, JAYA, BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA, PERSIAN GULF, WEST INDIES," MAURITIUS, EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA, RED SEA, EGYPT, EUROPE, &c.

### · SAILINGS FOR. MARSEILLES AND LONDON

Steamers	Lenvo Hongkong about	Due Marseilles about	Due London about
NELLORE"	27th / pril	and June	10th June
n,	9 2 0	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	

### BOMBAY via STRAITS & COLOMBO.

s. s.	From Hongkong about	due Bombay about	
DUNERA	16th April at Noon.	1st May	

### SAILINGS ALSO TO SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

Hongkong about

Tickets Interchangeable. P. & O. Australian Tickets are interchangeable with the New Zealand Shipping Co. (via Panama) or by Orient Company.

Passengers may travel B.I. Company between Singapore and Calcutta or Madras in lieu of the section P. & O. Ticket Singapore to Colombo.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY FITTED ON ALL STEAMERS.

All Cabins are fitted with Electric Fans free of charge.

Steamers and Bailing dates are liable to be altered without notice.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, "Consignees are reminded of the necessity to apply to the Company's Agents regarding arrival of consignments expected of which they have received documents

Any damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors. Messrs Goddard and Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

For Further Information, Passage Fares, Freights, Handbooks, etc., apply to

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO., 22, Des Voeux Road Central, HONGKONG,

### E. HING ජර CO.

LARGE STOCK OF SHIPBUILDING MATERIALS. viz. Steel Ship Plates, Angles and Bars.

Also Shipchandlery Articles 25, Wing Woo Street, Control Telephone No. 1116.

## 

(JAPAN MAIL S.S. CO.)

SAILINGS FROM HONGEONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION, SAILING DATES STRAMER & DISPLACEMENT. DESTINATION

Bhanghai, Kobe & \*Yokohama Maru. 12:340 tone MONDAY, 21st April, at 11 a.m.

Yokohama

Wagasaki, Kobe & Kamakura Marn. 12,410 tons FRIDAY, 18th April, at 11 a m. Yokohama

London via Singapore, Penang, FRIDAY, 12,300 tons 18th April, at Noon. Atsuta Maru, 15,980 tons SATURDAY, 3rd May, at Noon. Colombo, Suez & Port Said.

Melbourne via Manila Zam- Nikko Maru, 9,600 tons boanga, Thursday Is., Towns-ville, Brisbane, & Sydney WED., 23rd April, at 11 a.m.

New York via Shanghai, Kobe, i Yokohama, San Francisco & Panama Canal

For date of sailing apply at the Company's Office.

Bombay via Singapore, Malacca, Toyo Marn. — tons & Colombo

Middle of April. "

& Rangoon

Calcutta via Singapore, Pennng Shinbu Maru, — tons
THURSDAY, 24th April, at 11 a.m.

Rangoon Maru. End of April. § Omitting Shanghai and/or Moji \*Wireless Telegraphy-

### HONGKONG-VICTORIA B.C.-SEATTLE

### MANILA, SHANGHAT, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI, & YOKOHAMA.

Operated by the magnificent and splendidly equipped Passenger Steamers "Fushimi Maru," "Suwa Maru," "Kashima Maru" and "Katori Maru," each of over 20,000 tons displacement.

Next sailing from Hongkong: -Suwa Maru,

Omitting Manila Eastbound. For further information apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA S. YASUDA, Manager

(NOW RECONSTRUCTED).

HINGINKERS and SHIPBUILDERS, BUILER-MAKERS, BRASS and IRON BY WOLD DERS. All work done in this establishment is guaranteed. We have not thirty years' experience. We own two Slipways and can accommodate any craft f 200 feet long.

Town Office: 48, Connadust Road Juntual, Hongkong. Telephone No. 459. Shipperd : Shum-Bui-Po, Kowloon, Hongkong, Estimated furnished on application. Telephone No. 8.

WONG PING WA, Manager Hongkong. April, 1, 1912.

### VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING

DESTINATION, "	VESSEL'S NAMES	FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DESPATORED
San Francisco via Shanghal & Japan, &c.	Tanyo Maru	Toyo Kisen Kaisha	On 5th May.
San Francisco via Shanghai, Japan &c	Shinyo Maru	Paolife Mail S.S. Co.	On 21st May.
San Francisco via Shanghai, Japan &c	Ecuador	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.	On 23rd April, at Moon.
San Francisco via Shanghai, Japan de	China		
San Francisco via Shanghai, Japan &c	Nanking	China Mail S.S. Co., Ltd	On 19th June.
Victoria B.O., & Scattle via Shai, &c		Nippon Yusen Kaishe'	On 5th May, at 11 A.M.
Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle & Tacoma	Chicago Maru	Osaka Shosen Kaisna	On 18th April.
Vancouver via Shanghai, Japan &c	Empress of Russia	Canadian O.S. Ld.	On 1st May.
Vancouver via Shanghai, Japan &c	Himmon of Innati	Canadian U.S., Ld.	On 14th May.
Planel of Meroopine	Kohen Mami	Usaka Shosen Kaisha	On 18th April.
A WHATENING COLOR AIR DIFFICE	Chancsha	Butterfield & Swire	On 18th April.
Australian Forts via manua	Nikko Maru	NIDDOR Yusan Kaisha	Oo 23rd April: at Ila.m.
Australian Forts via Japan	Seivo Marit	Toyo Kisen Kaisha	On 3rd May:
4 Constitution Louis Air Tubbil	NIVO MARTINI	TOVO Nigen Kaisha	On 12th July.
I Magasaki, Kobe & Yokohama	Kamakura Maru	Nippon Yn on Kaisha	On 18th April, at 11 a.m.
I DIRILLINI	Manna	of criticis and houses for the first field and the	On 17th April Dlight.
1 SHADKIRI	N WOOMANA	Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld	On 18th April, Dlight.
Shanghai Shanghai Shanghai, Koba & Yokobana	Sunning	Butterfield & Swire	On 17th April, at Noon.
Stangnal	Sinking	Butterfield & Swire	On 22nd April, at Noon.
I ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~	I TOMOTONISTANIA IN METAL I	TALE DOOR OF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF TH	ing attack built we in when-
4 10H GSI H server serv	Choongahing	dwidter Matheson & Co. Ltd	On 23rd inst. at D'light.
DWBOW & Dangkor	Changehow	Dutternell & Swires	l Uni 9146 Ammiliat luigum.
1 recently Am Owiton and Yilloh	KINDO MATO	Uraka Shoann Kalaha	⊦On. 20th April #t 10 #.m.:
- and at the too chow	h-i/xifan	Pouglas Lapraik & Co	On 20th Aprilat 10 a.m.
	LOCATION TO THE COLOR	-DEFILING Wistmosom & Co., Ltd	i Um Tathija neili at 3 m.m.:
DOMELIO	Sertator	The Admiral Line	On 20th April.
L point on h. Attractiff bold. Walfect & Colombol	Tovo Maru	Nition Yuson Kaisha	"Middle of April.
Singspore, hungoon & Calcutta	Bangoon Maru	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	End of April.
manpore, renang, colombo at Port Said	Nellore	P. & O. S.N. Co	About 27th April.
Domony of Colombo	Imsho Masm'	Osaka Shoaan Kaisha	iOn 5th May.
Longon and Antwerp.	Bassano	The Eark Line Limited	About 20th April.
reproduct Are 2 bots hand of C.po &c	Ivo Maru	Nippon' Yeson Kaisha	On 18th April at Noon.
Singapore, Panang & Belawan-Deli	Van Waerwijck	Java-China-Japan Lijn	On 14th May, at Noon.
		The second secon	

## DELCO-LIGHT

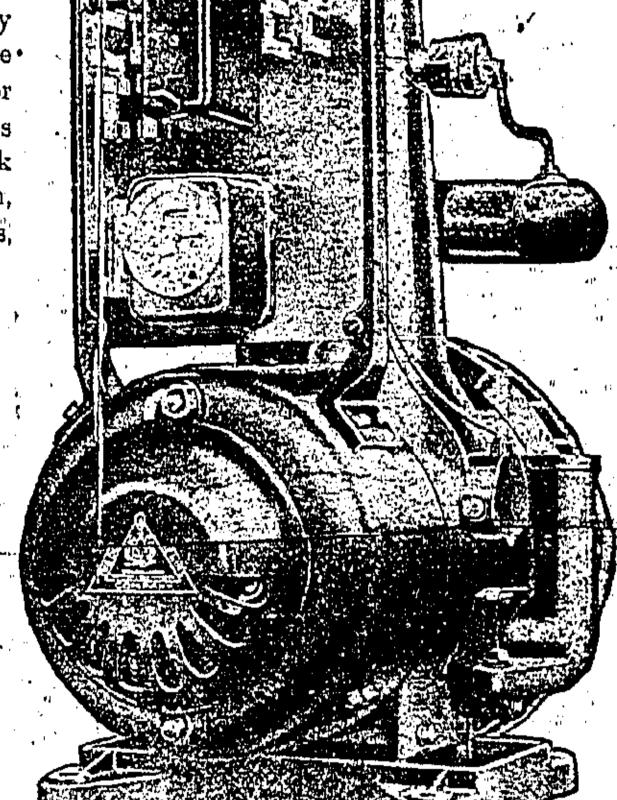
THE LATEST MARVEL IN THIS MARKET IS A 3 K. W. MACHINE WITH AN OUTPUT OF 180 16 C P. LAMPS, AND WORKS ENTIRELY ON KEROSINE.

For the Popularity t the DELCO see. the Number Sold for Lighting Bungalows in Fanling, the Peak Tramway Station, Cafes, Motor Ships,

CALL AND

NSPECT OUR

STOCK."



Yachts, and Private Residences in this Colony; Also Travelling Moving Picture Shows and Numerous Chinese Residences in the Country and in the Coast Ports.

FULL INFORM-ATION ON APPLICATION.

### IT IS UNDOUBTEDLY THE BEST OF ITS KIND IN

WE HAVE STOCKS OF MACHINES WITH OUTPUTS OF FROM 47 LIGHTS UP TO 280.

For Peace Celebration use a "DELCO" Engines of Various Sizes in Stock also Bulbs Fittings and Lamp Colouring Fluid.

SOLE AGENTS: HUMPHREYS &

MACHINERY DEPAITMENT, HONGKONG. TEL. ADDRESS: ABEONA.

SHOJI MITSUBISHI KAISHA, LTD.

(Mitsubishi Trading Co.) EXPORTS.

SOLE PROPREITORS OF

TAKASHIMA. OUHI, MUTABE,

KISHIDARE, YCSHINOTANI

HOJO, NAMAZUTA, BAYO, KANADA

SHINNEW, KAMIYAMADA BIBAI,

and OYUBARI COAL MINES.

AGENTS FOR SAKITO COAL.

Head Office :- TOKYO. Branches and

Representatives:-Kure, Kobe, Osaka, Tsuruga, Nagoya, Vokohama, Tokyo, Hakodata, Muroran, Cargo for the abe po Charu, Vladivostock, Peking, Tientsin, Cargo for the abe po Bairen, Tsinanfu, Hankew, Shanghai, Becommodation in containing the Manile, Bingapore, Calcutta, London ture from Hongkon, Silk and Valual Cargo for the Nagasaki, Karatsu, Wakamatsu, Moji,

Cable Address: Hongkong: "IWASAKI". Conton, Baiphong: "IWASAKISAL" Codes .- Al. A. B. C. 5th Ed., Western Union and Bontley's

LTD. OSABAL For Particulars, apply to—
S. SAYS. L. Manager. No. 14. PRODER STREET, HONGKONG

STEEL PRODUCTS COMPLETE STOCK. (ESTABLISHE 1580). SINGON & CO. (TELEPHONE 515).

## P. & O.S. N. Co.

STRAITS, COMBO, BOMBAY. EGYPT, MEDITERANEAN PORTS

Through Bills of Ling isnud for BATA VIA, PERSLAGULF, CUNTINEN-TAL, AMERAN AND SOUTH AFRICAN PCTS

THE Homewardtail Steamer carry ing His Majy's Mails will be despatched from thoort as usual taking Cargo for the abt ports. l'assengers' accommodation in connecting vessel is secured when whalle before de par filk and Valual Cargo for Italy. France, and London nder arrangement,

will be conveyed in this steamer proceeding via the bay and there transhipped to the carrying steamer for Marseilles and adon. Parcela will be trived at this Office until 3 p.m. the dazefore sailing. The contents and varue all pickage are Agency for :- THE OSAKA MARINE & PIRE INSURANCE CO., For further partlars, sailing dates, etc. apply to

MACKINNON, ACEI NZIE & CO.

### 9HIPPING

### PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO U.S. Mail Line.

OPERATING THE NEW FIRST CLASS STRAMERS "ECUADOR," "VENEZUELA" and "COLOMBIA,

14000 Tons such. HONGKONG TO SAN FRANCISCO, VIS SHANGHAL KOBE YOROHAMA and HONOLULU.

The Sunshine Belt. The most Comfortable Route to America and Europe.

Sailings from Hongkong at Noon. "COLOMBIA" WEDNESDAY, April 93rd. WEDNESDAY, May 91st. WEDNESDAY, June 18th. For NEW YORK via the PANAMA CANAL.

S.S. "ECLIPSE" .......... MONDAY, April 14th, 1919.

Those Steamers have the most modern equipment including everhead electric fans and electric lighting ALL LOWER BEHTRS and large comfortable Staterooms (All single and two berths only).

The Safety and Comfort of Passengers is our first consideration.

Special care is given to the cuisine, and the attendance on passengers cannot be surpassed.

Tickets are interchangeable with the Toyo Kisen Kaisha and the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd.

For further information, rates, literature, schedules etc., apply to—

COMPANY'S OFFICE in Alexandra Buildings, THEFHOME [4].

### HONGKONG, CANTON & STEAMERS.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD. AND THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

HONGKONG CANTON LINE. Sailings —To Canton daily at 8 s.m. (Sundays excepted) and 10 p.m. From Canton daily at 8 s.m. (Sundays excepted) and 5 p.m.

SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

HONGKONG MACAO LINE. Sallings :- S.S. "SUI AN" to Macao daily at 8 a.m. (Sundays 9 a.m.) S.S. "SUI TAI" to Macao daily at 2 p.m. (Sundays 2 p.m.) S.S. "SUI AN" from Macao daily at 2 p.m. (Sundays 4 p.m.) S.S. "SUI TAI" from Macao daily at 7.30 a.m. (Sundays 8 a.m.)

Further information may be obtained at the Company's Owner, Hotel Mansions. or from Mesers. Twos. Cook & Son, Booking Agents, Hongkong.

### THE AUSTRALIAN ORIENTAL LINE.

HONGKONG TO MANILA, ZAMBOANGA & AUSTRALIAN PORTS

SAILINGS (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

,	Steamers.	Arrives Hongkong from Australia.	Leaves Hongkong for Australia.
	* "CHANGSHA"	April 12th	April 18th at 3 p.m.

supply of ice, fresh provisions, etc., and have superior accommodation with Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in the State-rooms. A duly qualified Doctor is carried. Reduced Fares. Cargo booked through for all Australian, New Zealand and Tasmanian ports. For freight or passage apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agenti. Telephona No. 36.

Houghong, April 10, 1919.

## STATE EXPRESS

### CIGARETTES

The particular man demands a particular cigarette. State Express are made for just such men-men of discrimination who require the best.

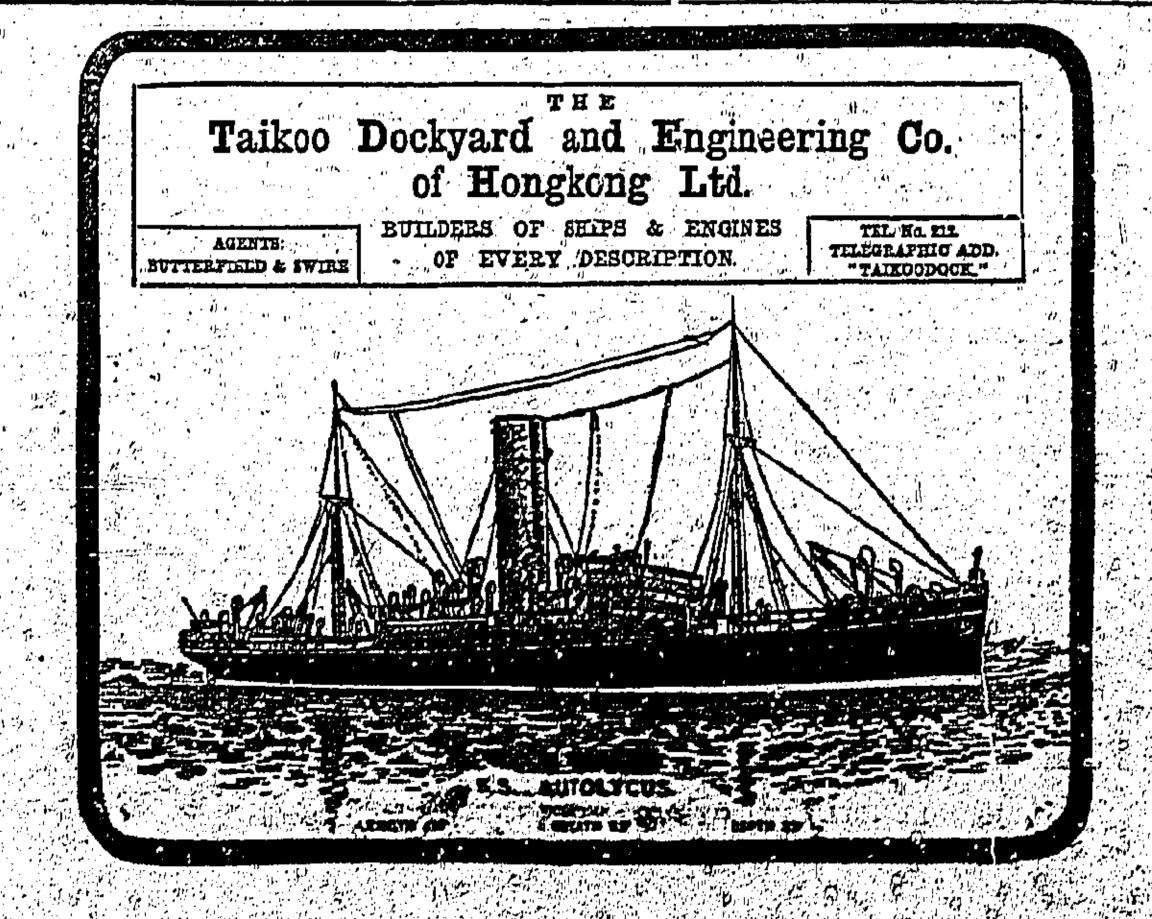
VIRGINIA

No. 555

85 cents. Fig. 75 PACKED IN PATENT VACUUM TINE.

Sole Manufacturers:

ARDATH TOBACCO CO., LTD., LONDON, ENGLAND,



COLONIAL INSTITUTE. THAT BLESSED MESOPOTAMIA.

Lord Leverhulme, addressing the "Colonial Institute, said that had Great had been put to the meeting, so far Britain consented to the return of the Gorman Colonies, she would have been a las it applied to the summer months. party to the greatest crime against her for one special reason." The reason, own kinsmen in the Dominions. She he thought, would probably be nev would have sacrificed the welfare of the to mest of them. It had been sugnatives of those Colonies, and would gested to him and previously he had have dismembered the Empire.

He emphasized that the Empire was built up, not by Governments or the Colonial Office, but by individuals. He his opinion, be prejudicial, possibly said that the eighteenth century method to the health, and certainly to the holme. of colonization was to kill the backward comfort and convenience, of the native races. There was the danger, to European children of this Colony. day, of rushing to the other extreme of He had three small children him mandlin sentimentality, and conceding to self so he was in a position to judge the natives rights to land that would not in this case. The summer months by a British Duke in relation to his bore very hardly on the children and broad acres.

The necessities of mankind required avoid, as for as possible, making the the fullest use of land for the benefit of time harder for them. During the Britain, and the opportunity to cultivate the lands overseas must be granted as equally and fully us to the acres of any children went out for their exercise Duke in Great Britain. The highest in the afternoon as soon as the weainterests of the natives could only be ther was cool enough to allow then achieved by opening up their lands to to do so and that hour was roughly British colonists,

South Wales, said that Great Britain's war indebtedness could be met if the tropical possessions were properly o'clock. It was difficult enough for could alone pay the cost of the evening meal, etc., finished by 7 or

### ITEMS BY "HAYAS."

Paris, April 12th. . Havas message states :-French has been proposed as the official children to remain an hour longer language of the League of Nations. The in bed in the morning to make up League of Nations' Commission decided for lesing an hour at night when the "that it was not competent to decide this question, which must be settled by the Peare Conference.

Paris, April 12th. A Havas message states: -By twelve votes to six, the League of Nations chose Geneva as the sent of the

proposed by M. Hymans, the Belgian not so important but it did conduce inventive genius and the urge of war Minister for Foreign Affairs. He obtain to the comfort of the children. Th ed the votes of France, China, Portugal children derived a good deal and Czecho-Slovakia. Paris, April 12th.

A Havas message states:— In the French Chamber, yesterday, The children went to those bathing about 300 Deputies signed a manifesto, picnics at the earliest convenient desiring to affirm the close union of the hour and that hour was regulated by Senate and the Chamber with a view to strengthening the hands of the French the heat of the sun. They returned representatives at the Peace Conference in to their houses just in time for bed all jüst demands. Paris, April 12th.

A Havas message states: -The question of the Saar coalfields has been almost entirely settled to the satisfaction of France, which will enjoy as the people who had a say in the A Havas message states:-

Mr. W. F. Massey, Prime Minister of New Zealand, and delegate to" the Peace Conference, at a meeting in Paris, expressed the hope that the British and opposed to it.

French would be allies for all time. The Chairma

### THE BOLSHEYIST WAR.

London, April 15th. A British North Russia official communique states that General Maynard successfully attacked Uposozero, on man, Mr. Beavis proposed h April 11th, killing fifty and capturing amendment. thirty-five: 🥋

Reuter learns that the Allies evacuated 25,000 refugees before leaving Odessnii. The Russian volunteer army is retiring in disorder before the Bolshevist advance in the Crimes.

The French, who have been reinforced, them into zone time with Peking

### GERMAN DOINGS.

Berlin, April 11th. A telegram from Munich states that the Council elected by revolutionary ing men would not start work in the workers and soldiers has declared itself the sole authority and demanded the im- would simply" sit down and wai mediate abdication of the Central Coun-

mass meeting of Communists it was announced that the White Guard under Herr Schneppenhorst a was already at Ingolstadt, about to enter Munich and overthrow the Soviet Government. Berlin, April 11th.

In spite of the concession of a sevenhour day, the coal strike in the Rühr region continues.

Excitment at Essen is growing Government soldiers venturing into the streets singly are assaulted by strikers. Vorugerts states that a Soviet republic was to have been proclaimed in the Rühr district yesterday, but the scheme was frustrated by the Government occupation of Essen.

Seventeen members of the Workers Council at Muclbeim in the Ruhr dis trict, who voted for the immediate proclamation of a Soviet Republic, have been arrested for high treason.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

### TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

[ To the Editor of the" CHINA MAIL."] Sir,-The Indian police are still ordering pedestrians on to the side walks, without having English enough to do it properly.

In summer, those of us who wear white suits, must we jostle coolies. who have been carrying coal?

People who walk under the verandahs with open umbrellas are not to be interfered with... What a middle ! I am hoping that

the new Governor when he comes will alter things.

Yours etc., JOHN KESTREL

### HCNGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

(Continued from Page 5.) As no other of the members present had unything more to say layour of the scheme, Mr. Beavis addressed the meeting and said rase to oppose the resolution which not considered it. The alteration which had been suggested would, in

he thought they would all wish, to The way had been prepared by summer months the children's hours about 4.45 p.m. or 5 blelock. Child-Sir Gerald Strickland, ex-Governor of ren had to get to bed in order to get their full nights rest by 7 or 8 Mesopotamia, properly adminis, them to get their exercise, their

> 8 o'clock as it was. If they altered the time by an hour or even hal an hour it would make the task more difficult still. If the time was altered the household, would go by the clock and they could not expect the members of the household were out and about. He knew that those members who had children would appreciate these points and he trustmatter consideration. There was

> amusement, and he imagined healthy recreation, from bathing parties. Shanghai was in a slightly different position because the summer was a short one and a further consideration, he funcied, was that most of matter sent their abildren ames would

He did not wish to move any amendment to the resolution proposed For the reasons be had given he was

The Chairman: Do you" suggest Wat a further amendment should be made to the resolution confining her stead. the alteration of time to the winter months, Mr. Beavis?--Yes, sir. On the suggestion of the Chair-

Major Macdonald seconded and said that in the summer we had very even day. Some of them inight remember that their clock was put forward 27 minutes in order to bring have received orders to hold Schastopol. When that was done they felt that they lost a certain amount of daylight in the morning. If they put forward the clock unother hour they would seriously interfere with the business of the Colony: The workmorning while it was dark; they about until it was bright daylight. The Chairman pointed out that Major Macdonald was in favour o Mr. Beavie' amendment his argument was wrong. Mr. Beavis amendment suggested that the clock

might be put forward in the winter and, not in the summer. Major Macdonald then remarked that he was against any alteration at all and he moved as an amend ment that the clock be not touched. Mr. R. M. Dyer seconded this. Mr. C., W. Beswick enid he

thought there was very little to support the alteration in the ordinary way but he would like to know whether we should be at any disadvantage in relation with Shangha owing to the difference in the times, Unless there were reasons why we should keep in line with Shanghai a general cargo. Among the pashe would support Major Macdonald's sengers leaving were Mr.

much together and there was an advantage in being closely connected no far as time was concerned. But it was not a matter of very material importance in the summer months except that they would be muctically cut off from the Shanghai. four months. It would be 8 o'clock here and 4 o'clock there, and they would not be able to get into touch. with them by telegram. thought, however, the greater part

of the business was done in the morning. He did not think half an hour mattered very much one way or the other.

Major Macdonald's amendment that there should be no change was then put to the meeting.

### GOOD FRIDAY AT ST. JOHN'S.

As announced in another column Stainer's devotional work Crucifixion" will be sung by chorus of about 80 voices in St. John's Cathedral on Good Friday evening at 9.15 p.m. As it is likely that the church will be crowded to its utmos capacity those desirous of attending should be careful to arrive early in order to ensure seats.

A short organizecital, commencing at 8.45 p.m., will be given whilst the congregation is assembling when the following pieces will be played by Mr.

W. White the acting-organist: "Funeral March." W. Faulkes. "Scraph's Strain" W. Wolsten-

Requiem Aeternam" Basil Har Choral Prelude on "O come and

C. H. H. PARRY. At the conclusion of the singing o The Crucifixion" a collection wil be taken in aid of the Organ Fund and it is hoped that the response wil be so liberal that the splendid instru ment will be freed from debt. ....

### THE PRICE OF PEACE

### FLAGSHIP TO BE SOLD FOR " OLD METAL.

A fortnight ago she flew the flag

To day she is for sale as old metal Such is the fate of a flagship which was the leader of a squadron of British armoured cruisers. She and her sisters were the last word in construction of a type which was rendered obsolete by the building of the first of Admiral Fisher's battle-

She had the latest type of director firing, by means of which a single officer at the masthead could lay and fire all her guns simultaneously. She had the latest type of anti-aircraft ed that all of them would give this gun and was fitted with paravanes as a defence against floating mines. That Brussels should be the sent was another point which was perhaps. She also had every other device which had perfected.

"But her day is over. She is part of the waste that advancing science leaves by the wayside. And so she is up for auction.

Her small crew of bluejackets and stokers live in the ward-: oom and the admiral's quarters. Without steam or electricity—for there are not enough men left to keep steam in a single boiler out of the 28—the mess decks are uninhabitable in winter.

Already rust begins to gain in the ship ares and other movables will be landed and the ship-breakers will claim her. She is the symbol of the passing of an old order. She played her gallant

part in the war, but peace holds no place for her and her type. carrying super-aeroplane will rule in

### FREEDOM OF SHIPPING.

### RESTRICTIONS MAY CEASE ON SIGNING OF PEACE.

An official of the Shipping Controller's Department tells me that all the vessels of the International Mercantile Marine Company commandeered at the outbreak of the war have now been returned (writes in the London Evening News.) This will enable the company to realise all the profits result ing from the operation of the ships by the Shipping Controller.

The proposed purchase by the United States Government of British ships of the company is now off," the legal advisers of the Gov ernment having given it as their opinion that the necessary authority for the purpose does not exist. In these circumstances the United States Government has decided to let the

matter drop. My informant also told me that the many restrictions on shipping still existing will probably be withdrawn immediately after the preliminary Peace Treaty has been

1.15 to day with 108 passengers and amendment that there should be no Mitchelmore, who is going to Colombo to take charge of Messrs. Mr. N. J. Stabb pointed out that Whiteaway, Laidlaw's business there, such fine perforances with the ball 1, only two games were course the two ports worked very and Mrs. Mitchelmore and family

### A PARENT'S DUTY.

YOUR boy is always getting scratch-od or cut or bruised. Because these wounds have besied all right is no market in the afternoons for three or sign they always will. Get a bottle . E Ch mberlain's Pain Balm and see that every injury is cared for immediately. You can get nothing better, and blood poison is too dangerous a disease to risk. He For sale By All Chemists and Store-

> -Twenty-three voted for it and has played withen during the last twenty-one against, and, therefore, two war sends; not as often in by a majority, of two votes, the 1918 us at Han 1917. Chumber of Commerce decided that Hongkong should keep to its present

### SPORTING MEN AND PARS.

The six golf clubs controlling the Home championship, have decided: that there shall be no golf championship in 1919. '""

In the first semi-final heat of billiards championship, Stovenson best Fulkiner by 1,014 points. scores were 8,000 to 6,086.

Bonny Leonard in 4 rounds, accord. Violin produced entruncing music. ng to the San Francisco newspaper

The Broughton Rangers-Sulford Northern Union match of Feb. had to be cancelled owing to players striking for pre-war wages.

The Birmingham Cross-Country Leiguo's six miles "race was held the "Slav Dance" by the trio. over an exceedingly heavy course which was partly under water, Ward End on Feb. 22. - Result: J H. Gwilliam, Birchfield H., 1; McKenne, Small Heath H., 2; French, Ordnance A.C., 3.

Football Cup of Feb. 22 were: Cliftonville, 8; Celtic, 4; Lingfield, 2; Distillery, 3; Belfast United, 1; Gentoran, 1.

The New Zealanders defeated Coventry Rugby Club by 13 points to rid on Feb. 22,

England defeated Scotland by three goals to one in a soccer interlearne match on Feb. 22. Whittinghan (2) and Chennel scored for England, and Culley for the Scots.

A meeting of English and Scottish International Football League Boards at Birmingham passed the following resolution: -- 'That this bard resolves that clubs in membership with the Football League and Sottish League shall, in making fiture arrangements with players, stipulate that each aggregate sum to be paid as wages instead of being spreud over 52 weeks be spreud over the playing period, plus eight weeks for training. In view of the altered conditions now existing, the Board desire to encourage the players to engage in work in addition to playing football."

A diamatic surprise was caused in boxing circles by the breakdown of training for the contest with Tancy on Feb. 24. Fry, who had mearly pounding comiste to the requisite bout with Cudverhouse, of Treher-

It has long been a much debuted when a player is injured and has to leave the field. In the English and Nottish Inter-League game on Feb. 22 a substitute was allowed.

Chelsea played six games, drawing four and losing two securing winning brackets. boke this run of bud luck on Feb. Holy Saturday the functions start at 22, defeating Millyall.

The Football learne has decided to limit payment to footballers to Il a week. This is to be the maxi-

George Parfrement, the French jokey, is in England and is expected to return to the saddle.

The Irish Players Union have decited to send the same deputation back to the ruling bodies which was relused a hearin. If again it is not successful in gining an audience dnetic action isthreatened.

At a meeting of the Somerset County Cricket Club, at Taumton, end of 1914 hadbeen converted into a balance of £ through 200 subscribers having butinged their sub scriptions durin the war. Major Poyntz was eledd captain.

There is evidebe that the amateu element will be trongly represented In the Notts, Conty cricket cleven Dr. Gaulid, A. M. Carr, and P. Rear The P. & O. s.s. Dunera sailed at son-cregory ha signified their willinguess to plays regularly as possible, and the will probably be a new arrival in he person of J. E de Firth, the young Winchester School cricket who accomplished in 1/317 before joined-the army.

> Mr. Arthursmroy, of Sheffield, Wis appointed officiate as referee in the LeedCity and Brudford match on Man 1, but he died from preumonia ding the week. The sad news call quite a sensation umong "Soca" officials.

.. livine Book, the Brakkford City footballer, hasigned for the summer with the Meshill Cricket Club. Redeshill secto have an affection for the foothers. Mark Mellors

Wesatislacki exists in Yorkshire with the decom of the Northbrit

### RUSSIAN MUBICIANS

### AT THEATRE ROYAL.

The Chemiavsky Trio captivated their audience at the Theatre Royal last night. Commencing the prothe grumare with a trio for piano, violin and violincella they continued into solos and then aguin into a trio with the three instruments.

The first item was lovely. Willie Ritchie won his fight against I mastery of Leo Chernisvsky over his The cello helped the thrilling effect of the piece. The playing of Jan Chernia vsky at the plano was also remarkable. Dramatic gestures drew attention to his rendering o "Polonaise in A Flat, Op. 58 The audience frequently demande encores and their enthusiaem reach ea its beight after the rendering an encore on this occasion they gave Schubert's "Moment Musical

It would take too much space give every item the praise which its due. Music conveyed a message hast night if ever it did. . Both artists and audience were oblivious to all The results in the Irish Gold dreamily.

Whatever the piece the artists yet never lacking in elegance and,

ended all to soon. given for encores:

by Mischel Cherniavsky, accompanied by his brother Alex. Piano solo: "Valse " (Chopiai) by licences experienced vexatious delays Jan Cherniassky. .

Violin solo: "Serunade" (Chami- tions. nade) by Lee Cherniavsky. Trio: "Moment Musical" (Schubert) by Leo, Jan and Mischel

Chermiuvsky. The second and final performance is to-morrow night.

### RUMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL"

### SPECIAL SERVICES.

This evening the Offices of the Tenebræ start at about 5 o'clock. followed by the last conference of Billy Fry at the eleventh-hour of his the Mission which has been conducted by the Jesuit Father Sebustiao Le at the National Sporting Chub Apparicio da Silva. On Maundy Thursday, Solemn High Pontifical Mass at 8 u.m. immediately after, the Blessel Sacrament will be borne bert, following a bout with Jimmy special throne for public adorthe whole day and night till PASSAGES FUR next morning. On Good Friday after the Tenchra, the exercise of point, whether or not a substitute the Via Crucis will take place, each The submarine and the torpedo- should be allowed in football matches station will be preached from the REPORTED REQUISITIONING 2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in pulpit by the Rector of the Cathedral and at intervals the choir will sing the "Stabut Mater," concluding with a Duo to be sung by the popular focal Tenore, Mr. E. G. d'Aquino, and the Peruvian Consul,

Mr. E. G. Anderson, as baritone other Far Eastern places who are due detached cloud didrizzling rain, i fog. (The "Crucifix" by Faura). On to leave for holiday or for other g gloomy, h hail, I lightning, o overcast, 6 a.m. concluding with the solemn Alleluia Mass. On Easter Sunday, congregation. Special music by the choir of St. Joseph's, assisted by the local armatours. In the evening Sciemn Vesters will be sung concluding with the Benediction of

### NATIONAL ELECTRIC POWER.

the Blessed Sacrament.

It appears to be now practically certain, says the London correspondent of The Journal of Commerce. the satisfactor financial report trical power stations will be dealt with in a separate bill to that set ting up the Transport Ministry. But it is intended that the stations to let the China Mail know as soon shall eventually come within the scope of the Transport Ministry; as electric power is to have largely to do in the future with the working of the railways, docks, harbours, and capitals, as well as of nonds and their means of transport.

> Union Council to send a team to Australaeia in 1020.

In the Scottish league on March lowing to the Scottish Victory Cup at the buoys, wharves, and docks United drew 1-1.

tion are advocating the inclusion of a number of British warships and a swimming, in school curriculum. The State of the S

the Scottish League with 48 points for 29 matches; Celtio-are second with 45 points for 27; Hibernians are at the bottom with 10 points for 27 games.

points (6 gould a tries) to 0.

### THE SANITARY BOARD.

### OFFENSIVE TRADES

The usual fortnightly meeting of the Board was held in the Board room yesterday afternoon. Dr. A. Gibson presided and there were present the Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, Lieut. Col. Crisp, Dr. F. M. Graca Ozorio, Mr. Chan Kai Ming, Mr. S. W. Tso. Mrs. A. D. Hickling (M.O.H.) and Mrs. D. Danby (secre-

After two applications for the establishment of soap-boiling factories—one in Wing Hing Street, Shaukiwan, and the other in Kennedy Town-had been considered by the Board and granted, the Hon. Mr. Alabaster moved that a committee be appointed to re-consider and revise the Offensive Trade Areas. had not given written notice

of the motion, but, under Standing Orders, the motion could be accepted as a matter of urgency if two-thirds of the meeting were in favour of Some years ago a Committee had settled certain areas which it was, considered that permission Sta else. The audience could be ob- to carry on offensive trades could served one moment straining for- be granted as a matter of course. ward, the next, leaning back These areas were set aside, he thought, so that applications for the establishment of offensive trades in Vid rendered it with power and feeling, them would have the favourable consideration of the Board, while delicacy. A splendid performance, application for offensive trades outside them would have to make a very The programme included the ad strong case before the Board approved vertised items with the following them. The conditions in Hongkong had changed since then. Building Cello solo: "Guvotte" (Popper) schemes were in the course of preparation by the Government and sometimes applicants for offensive

> in the consideration of their applica The Chairman asked Mr. Alabas ter's reasons for considering th

matter urgent. Mr. Alabaster replied that these applications were constantly coming before the Board. They had jus considered two. He thought tha officers of the Sanitary Depart ment found it difficult to advis people whether their application would be favourably received or no as the areas originally set apart wer not now so regarded by another De partment. He moved that the mo tion be accepted as an urgent matter Dr. Ozorio seconded the motion which was carried, only the Hon

Mr. Hallifax voting against it. After some discussion, the Com mittee was formed as follows:--.The Hon. Mr. W. Chatham, th Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, Mrs. Hick ling, Mr. F. B. L. Bowley, and Mr Chan Kai-ming

HOMEGOERS.

OF GERMAN STEAMERS. This morning the China Mail heard moisture being 100. that two German steamers in Sumatra waters had been requisitioned to take Home passengers from Hongkong and Mr. E. G. Anderson, as baritone other Far Eastern places who are due

ceasons.

Our representive proceeded to the thunder, visibility wdaw, wet Colonial Secretariat to endeavour to at 8 a.m., Solemn High Pontifical confirm the story and there inter-Mass by His Lordship Bishop Poz. viewed Mr. Fletcher on the subject. zoni, during which the Papal Bless. On being asked if the statement was ing will be administered to the whole true, the Acting Colonial Secretary said he had no confirmation of the report. Mr. Fletcher said the Government had made representations to the Home Government at the time the Empress boats were commandeered but had no reply yet. He said he was aware the Straits Government has suggested that these German steamers should be requistioned for the purpose. The Hongkong Government did "not necessary to do so as the Home Government would have the full situation before them in dealing with the matter. He knew that orders had been issued to have the steamers that were at Sumatra and Java got

### as anything authoritative was known. SHIPS IN HARBOUR

ready for use. Mr. Fletcher said he

hoped the report is true and promised

### YEARS. There is every indication of an early return to the prosperous days of the past judging by the large number of ships in the harbour this played morning. Altogether the number

LARGEST NUMBER FOR

Ties. Rangem bent the Hearts number just over 60. Speaking 8-2, and Third Lanark and Ayr to a Harbour office official. a China Mail man was informed that it is certainly the largest number The National Union of Teachers since war broke out in August 1914. and the Amateur Swimming Associate Besides the merchant ships there are

Japanese cruiser, These make Hongkong look what Glasgow Rangers are leading in it used to be, a busy, and important port, with the record of the world's largest tonnage.

### THE FRUIT SEASON.

may save a life. For sale" By All whole family. For sale By All Chomista Chemists and Storekeepers.

### WEATHER REPORT.

April (16d. 11h. 20m.—No returns from Japan and Vladivostock. Pressure has decreased slightly over N. China, and increased slightly elsowhere. The anticyclone has moved custward. Hongrong Rainfall for the 34 hours iding at 10 am, to-day, 0.04 inch. Total since January 1st, 8.16 inches, against an average of 8.60 inches. Forecast for the 34 hours ending at doop on the 17th.

winds, moderate; cloudy, fog, mist or 2.-Formosa Channel. The same. 48 3.—South cost of China, between longkong and Lamocks. The same as

1.—Hongkong to Gap Rock. E.

4-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan. The same as

### ROYAL OBSERVATORY HONGKONG, DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

APRIL 18, 1919.—a.m.

ation.	Hour.	Barometer at Ser Level.	Temperatura	Humidit V.	Direction. A	Forpe.	W 00 1200 F
livosto	c <b>k</b> q:6:	s.  —		ı <b>—</b> 1		<del></del>  .	

ŀŀ	Nemuro	r.	· _	i		_		
: [	Hakodate .	-			- {			_
			_	٠ ١	_			.——
4	Tokio Kochi			1	-	_ [:	_	
·		11	,	-			7	
7	Yagasaki 🛶	.#	- <del></del> -	-	· [			,
1	Kagoshima.	11		- }		, <del>,</del>		<b>—</b>
	QsEims	(1) t	HITT	-	, —	<u> </u>		_
3	lshi'jima	n	_			· — 1		
•	ishi'jima 🔐	. <b>H</b>	<b>—</b> ,		<del>-</del>	-	<b>-</b> [	
ţ	conin Island	11	<b>!</b> .—	[ <del></del> , <sup>1</sup>		[	· [	
1	<u>'-</u> eihaiwei	8 8.	29,94	48	78	- 18 i	6	0
e	Hap tow	Ħ	. <del></del> -				<b>-</b> ∤	
	chang	. 19	_ —	<b>—</b>			<b></b>	-
3	K'ukiang'	, 19		[ _:		<u> </u>	[	
ļ•	Changaha		·	ļ — i		{		· ··
	Shanghai		79.98			BE	1	O,
<b>3</b> •	Gutzlaff	· '''	30.04		B5.			- O
e	Sharp Pk			68	81			a
C	Amoy	6 a.	29 93			MB	2	•
	Swatow		1			NR.	₹	Ö
e	Taihoku		39.9		96		8	o
g	Taichu	,		88	_		ŏ	.0
į	Tainan	,	29.91	-77		1	i	o
	Koshun	<b>*</b> ** *	30.80	73	-	ENI		Ö
ıt	Pascadores	12	[			NAF		o'
t-	Canton	6°a.					10	
ė	Hongkong	1	1-4-4-				5	0
13	Gap Rock	"	29.88		ן סע			od
it	Macao	н	29 84 29 80	70	91	ERE		0
	Wachow	8 n.		יון וי	AT.	£2.F		0
e	Pakhoi	) B B.	<b>  -</b>	-	<b>—</b>	Ì	1	•
٥.	Hoihow	11			-	_		_
<b>)</b> -		1					-	_
r.	Phulian	7 a.		72	89	ESB	4	or
	Toursne	11*	29.76		<b>;</b> -	2.W	2	þ
D	C. St. James		29-80		-	ESE	2	Ъ
3,	Aparri	6 a	- 29.8t	3 75	¦89		0	Ъ
	Dagupan	17	<u> </u>	-	-	) <del></del>	-	
<b>n-</b>	Manila	n	<u>2</u> 20 80		_	NE	1	0
	Legaspi	-	29.8	7, 79	, 84	NE	2	Ъ
	Tacloban	12		ļ. <b></b>	:	,	-	<b> </b>
iệ	Iloilo	1	29.8	4, 77	84	NE	4	Ъ
į.	Surigao	. 11		ļ <u> </u>		<u> </u>	-	<b> </b> —
T,	Guan	4.2	o: —	-	- <u> </u> '	_	<b>—</b>	
V.	Labuan -	₹6 a	·	ւվել		-		<b> </b>
	-	ــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــــ	$\mathbf{U}_{i,j,k}$		Ļ	1, 2	l	1505
				41			1	· .

C. W. JEFFRIES, Chief Ausstani, Hongkong Observatory, April 16, 1919 I. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degrees Fahrenheit, on the level of the sea inches, tenths and hundredths. crees Fahrenheit.

2. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with 4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points. 5. FORTE OF WIND, according to Sendford Scale. 6. STATE OF WEATHER, b blue sky, o

## 7.-RAIN in inches tenths and hy

HONE	COM4 B	EGISTE.	8.
Section 1985	Previous day at 2 p.m.	On date and	on date at
Sarometer Temperature	29.81 75	29.98	29.84 68
Humidity Direction of	88 NW	98 .z	98 E
Force Weather Rain	1.00	od	5 od

Righest open Air Temperature on the 15th-79 Lowest open Air Temperature on the 15th-61 T. F. CLANTON, Director. Hongkong Observatory, April 16, 1919.

### HONGKONG TIDES.

The tide-table given below has been compiled at the National Almanac Office L. London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1903-9, The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the sounding in the Admiralty

Chart, which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean sea-level To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard sdd 3 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge 4 Lamont Dock, Aberdeen, add 10 feet

Ú.		April	17 to 2	3, 1919.	
Da• of ¥eek	74	II WATE Hongkong Mean Tima		Low with the second sec	garanta.
Pri.	78 19 90	m 9 62 11 75 a m 10 15 11 15 a m 10 41 m 0 42 m 11 11 m 2 0 nt 11 43 for interior 0 46 a	0.6 4.7 6.4 0.7 4.4 0.8 4.4 bless	22 2 66 25 7 6 26 4 7 25 4 7 26 24 4 27 4 54 27 7 15 2	2.0 1.5 9.8 1.7 3.5 1.0 2.7 2.0

SERVES THE WHOLE FAMILY Pill Harriers played a great game

Dowell complaint is sure to be pre
Remedy is world wide. It is good
on Murch 1, when they defeated the content to keep a bottle of Chamberlain's or the croup and whooping cough of the Colic and Diarrhoes Remedy at hand. It children. The same bottle serves the

### INTIMATIONS

The Imprisoned Laughter of the Peasant Girls of France.



REIDS' LIMITED, IMPORTERS OBTAINABLE AT ... GANDE, PRICE & Co.. Agents. HONGKONG.

AND ALL HOTELS, CAFES AND STORES.

### SOMETHING NEW.

## WISEMAN'S

Our own packing and blending from the Choicest Ceylon and China Teas.

1-lb. tins



You are cordially invited to inspect our new stocks which have just arrived.

COUNT THE INDIANS ON

ALEX. ROSS & CO.,

4. Des Voux Road, Central. Phone 2487.

### HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

HONGKONG, 16th APRIL, 1919.

- 1	HONGEONG' festi westi	()
	OFFICIAL QUOTATIO	)
	11 д.м.	
· F	STARP.	, 1
	Hongkong Banks	<b>4</b> 695 :
4.1	Marine Insurances.	••
	Canton Ins.	# 450 l
	North China Ins.	r. 190.1
• •	Union Ins.	
	Vangera Ins	Rens L
	Far Ensterns	T. 28 t
F	THE INSURANCES.	
	China Fire Ins	<b>₽</b> 168 s
	Hongkong Fire Ins	
	airring	
, '	Douglases	. 92 n
	Hill Steamboats	· \$23} 1
	Indo-Chinas (Prof.)	\$39 t
	Do. (Def.)	<b>\$16</b> 0 s
	Shell Transports Star Ferries	#35 s
H	LITERERIES.	
4 P	China Sugara	\$139 s
	Malabon Sugara	. <b>83</b> 53 b
" <b>X</b>	finrso.	
	Kailan Mining Adm.	50/- n.
	Languats Combined	T. 21 b.
	Rauba Tronoh Mines	40/- b
	Ural Caspians	40/- s
Þ	OOKS, WHARVES, GODOWNS,	
	H. &K. Wharfs	\$124 b
40	H. & K. Wharfs H. & W. Docks	b., 154 a
	Shai Docks	ттэв ь
١,	New Engineerings	T-39 D

LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS. Central Estates ... \$107. b. Hongkong Hotels ... \$100 b. Hongkong Lands ... ... \$107 n. Humphreys ... \$73 b. Kowloon Lands ... \$36 b. Land Reclamations ... 3.175 n. West Points ... COMON MILLE. Ewo Cottons ... ... Lsou Kung Mows ... T 170 n." Orientals ... T77 b. Shanghai Cottons ... T 175 b. Yangtszepoos ... ... T127 sa. LISCELLANGOUS.

H.K. Electrics ... ... 180 sa. Macau Do. ... Hongkong Ropes H.K. Tramways ... \$7.90 n. PeakTramways (Old).... ....57 b. (New) Steam Laundries H.K. Steel Foundries... Water-boats ... -

> RECHANGE Hongkong, April 16, 1919.

On London-Credita, 4 months' sight, ... 3/5 Documentary, 4 months sight 3/5} Credits, 4 months sight, In New York— On demand, ...... Credita, 60 days sight, ... n Bombay—

Calcutta-Wire. On Singapore-Or demand On Manila-On demand, On Shanghai-On demand 30 days" sight(juivate paper)..---On Yokohama-

On demand, \_\_\_\_\_ 151 Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) --- 41.80 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 5.95 n. Silver (per oz.) ... ... ... Bar Silver in Hongkong ...25 % pm. n. Chinese Copper Cash ... 3 % pm. Chinese Copper Cents..... Bate of Native Interest ... 7 % p.s. Chinese Sub. Coin ... ... 57 % dis.

\*\*\*\*\*\* MARTIN'S L PIOL & STEEL Kade PILLS A French Remody for all Lyredularities.

Honghong Sub. Coin ... . Der.

Martin's Fills in the notine, as that on the series of any lipscalled yes, the System a limity does may be administered. These was their recommend them, hence their energies sale. All Chemists and Stores sale them theoryhous the World, or your tree by market and them.

EMERICA: Chemist, South anythm. But. MARTIN'S APIOL STEEL

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

mee "Kesting's" comes into thorough contact

### INTIMATIONS

DEAR TRAMPARE COMPANY. LIMITED. TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS. 7.00 s.m. to. 8.00 s.m. Every 15 minutes 7.00 s.m. to 8.00 s.m. Every 15 minutes, 9.50 s.m. to 11.10 s.m. Every 15 minutes, 11.30 s.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes, 13.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 15 minutes, 1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes, 1.45 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes, .00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes, .00 p.m. Every 15 minutes, .00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes, .00 p.m. Every NIGHT CARS,

.50 p.m., 9.00 p.m., 9.20 p.m., 30 p.m. to 11,30 p.m. Every 30 minutes 11,45 p.m. SATURDAYS.

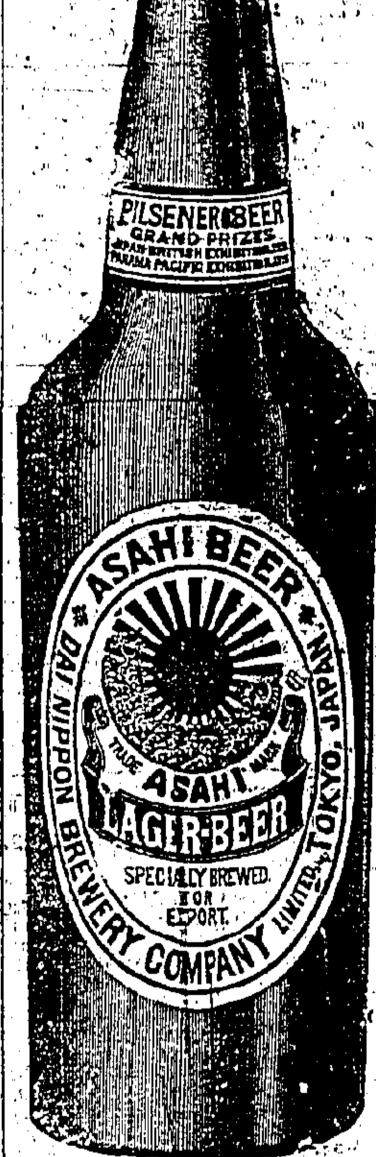
EXTRA CAR-12 midnight. SUNDAYS.

8.00 a.m. to 10.37 a.m. Every 15 minutes 10.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes. 11.30 s.m. to 12 no m. Every 15 minutes.
12.00 noon to 1.00 p m. Every 10 minutes.
1.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 5.30 p.m. to 6 00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. 5.00 p.m. to 6 30 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 6.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes. NIGHT CARS 85 00 Week Days.

SPECIAL CARS by arrangement at the Das Voor Road Central Sesson and punch tickets available for all cars not already full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables, but not for special cars, can be obtained on application at the Company's Office.
No Season ticket will be issued until payment therefor has been made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compredors order representing Bank Notes.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

**ASAHI BEER** 



BUSSN KAISHA,

THE CHINESEMERCHANTS BANK, TD.

司公限有線商華 13, Queen's 14, Central; Chairman of Basof Directors. LAU STU CON. Each. General Bunking and charge husiness trans-

Loans granted on spied securities.

Current Accounts ope and Pixed Deposits
ceived at rates which y be ascertained on The Bank also conducts avings Department. Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 1919.

THE CHINA PRODERT LOAN AND MORTGA CO., LTD.

(Capital Paid up \$1,250,000.)

Loans on Mortanes of Herroparty, &c., Goods received on Storal Advances made on Metches.

Loans made on the Provi System.

TRUSTEE, EXECUT OF WILLS,

ATTORNEY, do. Unders and Executed. (Rate and Particular application). To the Oct SHEWAN, TOS & CO. General Myers.

THERAPIN NO. MO. 1 for Mindder Ostatin, 2 for Blood & Mrn Diseases. Ho. 3 for die Weakhesses, and 3 for die Weakhesses, and Date of the Co. Jersey, N. W. L. Lendon, Sex Teach Marked Touchesses, N. W. Lendon, Sex Teacher, Sex Teacher

### BANKS.

THE BANK OF CANTON, LTD. HELD OFFICE :- HONGKONG. ESTABLISHED 1912.

Reserves and Undivided Profits ... ... ... FOREIGN EXCHANGE FIXED DEPOSITS Received.

> DEPOSITS. For 3 Months 3% per annum. For 6 Months 4% per somum." For 12 Months 41% per annum. LOOK FOUND SHAN,

No. 2 Queen's Road Central. PAID-UP CAPITAL ... \$2,000,000.

Mr. Kan Ying Po. Mr. Chan Kai Ming. Mr. Li Koon Chan, Mr. Mok. Ching Kong, Mr. Fung Ping Shin, Mr. Wong Yun Tong, Mr. P. K. Kwok, Mr. Chan Ching Shok, Mr. Ng Chang Lak. CHILP MANAGER ..... Kan Tong Po. Assr. MANAGER .....Li Tee Fong.

For 12 months at the rate of 5% per ansum.

Hongkong, March 13, 1919.

### THE BANK OF CHINA. GOVERNMENT BANK.

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 22nd November, 1917). Authorised Capital ......\$60,000,000.00 Reserve Funds: 3,197.400.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.

BRANCHES AND SUB-BRANCHES Baiting, Tungchow. NORTH: Miyun, Chohsien, Pahsien Niulansan, Hsuanhua, CHIHLI: Tieutsin, Paotinfu, Lutai, Tsinhaislen, Sangfang, Shuntehin, Tangshan, Tam-ing, Cholubsien, Weinsien, MANCHU-RIA: Changehun, Moukden, Kirin, Tsitsihar, Newchang Lisoyuanchow, Heho, Hsinmingfu, Taonanfu, Harbin, Dolang, Antung, Tighling, Chinghslen, Ninguta, Kungchuling, Lisovang Fuyu, Yenchi, Kaipingsian, HUPEH Han-kow, Shasi, Ichang, HUNAN: Chang-sha, KIANGSU: Shanghai, Nanking, Soochow, Yangchow, Chingkiang, Wusih, Hsuchowiu, Tungchow, SOUTH: Tsink-langpo. SHANTUNG: Tsinan, Tsing tao, Chetoo, Tenghsien, Lintsinhsien, SHANSI: Taiyuanfu, Yunsheng, Sink-ianhsien, Tatungfu, HONAN: Kaifeng, Ohowkiakow, Hanhsien, KWANG-Kiungehow. FUKIEN : Foochow, Amoy, Hankong Chuanchowfu, Changehowfu, Santuao. CHEKIANG: Hanchow. Shaohsing, Huchowie, Kashing, Wen-chow, Ningpo, Lanchi, Yuyan, Haimen, KIANGSI: Nanchang, Kiukiang, Kanchowfu, Chintehchen, Chian. AN WHEI:
Wuhu. Anking. Panglow. Luchowfu,
Tahung. Tungki. Luan. SZECHUEN:
KUEICHOW: Wweivangfu. SHANSI:
Sianfu, Hangchung. SUIYUAN: Kweihwating, Paotowchen. TSAHAR Kalgan Fengchen, UEGA: Urga, Hakiatao.

HONGKONG BRANCH. Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed Deposits. Terms on application. Every description of Banking Business transacted. Loans granted on approved securities. Special facilities for home

(TAIWAN GINAO).

HEAD OFFICE:

FORMUSA-GIRAN, KACI, KARENTO,

BATAVIA, BOMBAT, LONDON, NEW MOZA RADSA, LONDON' BANKERS:

PORE, SORRIBAJA, SERARANG,

HONGKONG BRANCH: 3, Des Voux Road. Hongkong, March 31, 1919.

Paid-up Capital ... \$2,000,000 General Banking Business transacted. CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and

INTEREST ON FIXED

Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 10, 1919

### THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LID.

HEAD OFFICE:

DIRECTORS: Company's Office, Ataxandra Buildings, Mr. Chew Shou Son, Mr. Kan Ying Po.

Every description of Banking and Exchange mainess transmetad. Loss granted on approval

W KAN TONG PO. Chief Manager.

TSUYEE PEL Manager. Hongkong, Feb. 25, 1919.

mchange.

THE BANK OF TAIWAN, LTD.,

INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL CHARTER, 1839.

Capital Subscribed ... Yen 30,000,000. Capital (Paid-up) ... 27,500,000. Reserve Funds ..... 8,580,000

TAIPEH FORMOSA

BRANCHES: JAPAN-TORYO, YOKOBIMA, KORK, OKIKA,

KEELUNG, PINAN, SHINCHIEV. MARUNO, TAICHU, TAIRAN, TAKOW, TARRUI, TURYER, AND. OHINA-SHANGHAL, HANKOW, KIURIATO, AMOY, FOCCHOW, SWATCH. CANTON. OTHERS-HONGRONG, BANGKOK, STREAT

MEDAM, CAPITAL AND COUNTIES BANK, LONDON - AND SOUTH-WESTERN BANK, 2001 PARES SANK.

The Bank has Correspondents in Commercial Centres in the European Con-thent, Russia, Manchuria, Telegiao, Ohosen, Japan, Indo-China Siazzi, India, Philippine Islands, Java, and other Dutch Indies, Australia, America, Africa, de.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits at rates which will be quoted on application. NAORIOHI YANAGITA Managor.

### BANKS

PAID-OF GATTALL

Sterling £1,500,000@2/--\$15,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:

E. V. D. Parr, Esq., -Doputy Chairman.

W. L. Pattenden, Esq.

ORIES MAXAGER

Hongrong-N. J. STARB, Esq.

MANAGER :

Shanghai-A. G. STEPHEN," Eq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON COUNTY &

HONGEONG-INTEREST ALLOWED.

Ox FIXED DEPOSITS :--

For 3 months 22 per cent. per snnum.

HONGKONG BAVINGS BANK

THE business of the above Bank is

AND SHANGHAI BANKING OOR-

PORATION. Rules may be obtained on

INTEREST on deposits is allowed on the minimum monthly balances at 34

SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT . 4 PER CENT.

BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE DE

CHINE.

the Chinese Republic).

HEAD OFFICE

BRANCHER:

"SAIGON,

HAIPHONG.

FOOCHOW.

YUNNANFU.

VLADIVOSTOCK,

74. Rue Saint-Lazare, PARIS.

PERING.

BANKERS

Commerce et de l'Industrie en

of Directors André Berthelot

Thairman of the Board

SHANGHAI.

HONGKONG,

Bank Ltd.

HONGKONG BRANCH:

Queen's Buildings,

TEDERLANDSOHE

AUTHORISED

CAPITAL

CAPITAL

The Hages

BANDILEMANN.

BANDONNO.

CHREIDOR.

DIRECTE:

MATARAR.

PADARU, 1

PREMARG.

PALINERANG.

PHEADOXGAN.

PAID-UR

REMENTS

FIFUE

5. Chater Boad.

Hongkong, March 31, 1919.

in NEW YORK: Redmond & Co.

Telegraphic Address: CHIBANKIND

Special facilities for French exchange

M. BOUET DE JOURNEL

MAATSCHAPPIJ.

(Netherlands Trading Source)

ESTABLISHED 1824.

HEAD OFFICE-AMERICAN

HEAD AGENCY-BISING

Beamches at

Correspondents at Bombay, Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Calcutta, Bangkok, Baigon, Haiphong, Hanol, Amoy, Yoko-

hama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney, New

LONDON BENERRES :- The Union

The Bank buys and sells and received

for collection Bills of Exchange issues

letters of credit on its Branches and

Correspondents in the East, on the

Continent, in Great Britain, America,

and Australia, and transacta banking

London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

York, San Francisco, &c., &c.

business of every description.

RANGOUM,

HAWLELES.

BRANCHAL

STREATORY.

BOURARANA

BOTALEARNA (Bolo)

TRIOR BETERE.

WELLEY REDRY.

J. F. VAN REES,

TITLETLY.

Trains Tinesi (Dell)

Branches at

.100,000,000— (£8,333,153

i. 12,760,286- (£1,083,775)

70,000,000- (£5,823,333)

Manager,

Tel. 2440

mercial centres of the World:

TIENTSIN.

P(FRENCH BANK).

Hongkong May 14, 1916.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation.

IN. J. STABB.

Ohist Manager.

Hongkong, Feb. 22, 1919.

application.

N. J. STABB,

WESTERNITER & PARE'S BANK, LTD.

J. A. Plummer, Esq.,-Chalrman.

A.H. Compton, Esq. Hon. Mr. P. H. Hon. Mr. S. H. Holyo

Dodwell, Hon. Mr. D.

RESERVE LEASURETY OF ..

PROPRIETORS ....

C. S. Cubbay, Esq.

EFFERTE FUNDA-

TYONGKONG & SHANGHAI THE CHARTERED BANK CI BANKING CORPORATION. I INDIA AUSTRALIA & CHINA. IMCORPORATED BY HOYAL CHARTER

HIND CHAIGE FORDOW PAID-OF CAPITAL TO - \$38,000,000 \$15,000,000

RESERVE FUED RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-PRINTER FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking business transacted.

FIXED DEPOSITS roceived for I year or shorter periods at rates which will be quoted on application. J. L. CROCKATTY

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opense and

Hongkorg, April 7, 1919. CHE MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LIMITED. Authorised Capital

On Current Account at the rate of Two Reserved Fund and Rest per cent, per sultum on the daily balance BANKERS:

THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE LOYDON JOINT CITY & MIDLING BANK, LTD.

Every description of Exchange business Ohiet Manager.

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent, per sunues. on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on conducted by the HONGKONG application.

C. L SANDES, Acting Manager. No. 7 Queen's Road Central.

### Hongkong April 10, 1819. PER CENT per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHIME (FRENCH BANK).

HELD OFFICE: ... Ibbis Rue Laffitte, Paris. Capital: Frs. 48,000,000 Reserves ..... 50,000,000 BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:

BANGEOR . HONORONG SALGON BATTARBANG MONOTER NOUMEA: SIXCAPORE Dinoun TERMENT PAPERTH HAIPHONG PERING TOURANE HANKOW' PHEE-PERS VLADITOFFORE PONUMERY

BANKERS: SURSCRIBED CAPITAL ... France 75,000,000 IN FRANCE: Compteir National d'Escomptade Paris; Credit Lyonnais; PAID UP CATTERS ..... 37,500,000 (1/3 of the Capital, i.e., France 25,000,000 mbenibed by the Government of Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bus; Oredit Industrial et Commercial; Societe

Generala: IN LONDON: The National Provincial & Union Bank of England, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Oredit Lyonnais. IN NEW YORK J. P. Morgan & Co. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to ATTAIL GOIDENTS. Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.

A. SIRE, Acting Manager. Hongkong, Oct. 19, 1918.

### In FRANCE: Société Générale pour favoriser le Développement du THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LTD.

BRARITERED 1880.

In LONDON: The London County West minster & Parr's Bank, Ltd. The London Joint City & Midland AUSHORIAND CAPTRAL...Yen 48,000,000,00 PAID UP CAPITAL RESERVE FUND ... .. 25,000,000,000 Correspondents in the chief com-

HEAD OFFICE-YOKOHAMA.

BRANCERS AND ASSECTES AND Interest allowed on Corrent Accounts NEWCHWARG and Fixed Deposits in Local Currency NEW YORK and in Gold. Terms on application.

Every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted. BUREOR AYRE OLLEA! CALOUSSA PERIN CHANGERUM RANGOOM DAKERS (DAKEY) BAN FRANCISCO FERGERER (MULDER) SELTILE HANKOW SHARCHAI

HONORUNG SHIMORCORE HARRIE SINGAPOR 4 KAR YURB BORRAMATA Koza : STDMMT. LOXDOX Transcer LOS ANGELES Torto LYONB . . . TSINAMEU

MARILLA VLADIVOSTOCE THARAPARI TRINGELU. Interest allowed on Corrent Accounts.

Deposits received for fixed periods at rates to be obtained on application.

KISHI C VO. Hongkong, March 11, 1919

NORTH BRITISH & MER JANTILE ENSURANCE CO. WHICH ARE VESTED THE SHARES OF

THE OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD. THE RAILWAY PASSENGERS

ASSURANCE CO. TOTAL FUNDS at 31st December, 1914.

£23,970,367. -Authorised Capital £6 000,000 Subscribed Capital \$4,500,000 Paid-up Capital .....£2,437,500 III-Lie & Annuity Funds ... 17,567,590 Sinking Fund Account ..... 128,230

Revenue Fire Branch... Life and Annuity Revenue Marine Department... Other Receipts

The Accumulative Funds of the sarious Branches are separately investill, and, by Act of Parliment, are set aside to meet the claims quite the respective Departs ments of the Company's Business.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.

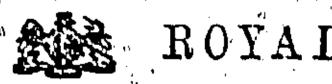
### INTERTAINMENT.

THEATRE

Violin Concerto, No. 4, Op. 31

(a) Russian Romance...

(b) At the Stream ... ...



## NIGHT

FAREWELL CONCERT

REMARKABLE BROTHERS

LEO, JAN & MISCHEL

VIOLINIST, PIANIST &

		PR	OGRA	MM	<b>B:</b>		
I.	Tema coa	Variazioni	***		From Trio	Tschailous	
Ξ.	Violoncello Sol		•			•	
	(a) Cantabile (b) Vito	***				. C. Cui: Popper.	
_ :	(e) Papillon	*** ***			*** *** ***	Popper.	
<b>5.</b> ,	Pianoforte Soli (a) Toccato an	d Fugue is	a D'Mino	r		Bach-Tausig.	
٠.	(b) Prelude (c) Military M	larch	•••	•••		Schubert-Tunig.	

Prices: - - - \$3, \$2 & \$1. Reserve Your Seats Now at MOUTRIE'S.

Glinka,

Buisdeffre.

### UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society will be held at the registered office of the Society. Queen's Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 25th day of April, 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, when the subjoined resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society held on the 10th day of April, 1919, will be submitted for confirmation as special resolutions:—

- 1. That the nominal silver capital of the Society as existing when this resolution is confirmed as a special resolution be converted into sterling and that such capital so converted be increased beyond the sterling equivalent of such silver capital when such conversion takes place to the sum of £2,000,000 Sterling divided into 200,000 shares of the nominal value of
- 2. That each of the issued silver shares of the Society of the nominal value of \$250 each with the sum of \$100 paid up thereon be converted into five shares of the nominal value of £10 each with the sterling equivalent of \$20 Hongkong currency at the opening T. T. rate of exchange on the date this resolution is confirmed as a special resolution credited as paid up thereon and accordingly that \$0,000 shares out of the 200,000 shares of the nominal value of £10 each constituting the capital of the Society so converted and increased be distributed by the Foard to the persons who are registered as shareholders of the Society on the date this resolution is confirmed as a special resolution in exchange for the silver shares then held by them.
- That the Articles of Association be altered in manner following!

By the insertion after article No. 107 of the ronowing Article. "107 (a). The Board may employ the funds of the Lociety which Employment that been established provisions of Article 107 india.

or any of them or any portion thereof (and that whether such funds or such portion as is proposed to be dealt with were set aside for the special purpose to which they are proposed to be applied or for any other purpose or not) in or for all or any of the following purposes, that is to say, in meeting contingencies, in equalizing dividends, in paying special dividends or bonuses, in repairing, improving and maintaining any of the property of the Society, or otherwise in the business of the Bociety, and in or for such other purposes as the ness of the Bociety, and in or for such other purposes as the Board shall in its discretion think conducive to the interest of the Society and in regard to any such employment as aforesaid the Board shall not be bound to keep such funds separate from the other assets."

By the insertion of the following Articles after Article No. 108.

106a (1). Any general meeting at which a dividend or bonus is Bonus may declared or annotioned may make a call on the members of he set off auch amoust as the meeting fixes but so that the call on each member shall not exceed the dividend or bonus payable to him and so that notwithstanding the provisions of Articles, 19, 20 and 21 the call may be payable at the same time as the dividend or bonus and the dividend or bonus may, if so arranged between the Society and the member, be see off against the The making of a call under this Article shall be deemed ordinary business of an ordinary general meeting which declares a dividend.

After any resolution has been passed under the provisions of paragraph (1) of this Article the Board may arrange on behalf of the Society for the dividend or bonus to be set off against the call by authorizing any person on behalf of the menibers from whom such call is due to enter into an Agreement with the Society providing for such dividend or "bonus to be set off against such call and any Agreement made under such authority shall be effective.

(3) It shall be no objection to any resolution made under paragraph (1) of this article or to any call or arrangement that such resolution was passed or such call or arrangement was made at the meeting at which the resolution introducing this Article and Articles 107 (a, was confirmed as a special resolution provided that due notice of the intention to propose such first mentioned resolution and to declare such dividend or bonus and to make such call shall have been given prior to the Confirmatory meeting aforesaid.

108 (b). Dividends may be paid in Hongkong Currency at such Rate of rate of exchange as the General Meeting sanctioning the Eschange same or, in the case of interim dividends, as the Board may dividends

And the subjoined resolutions will be proposed as "Extraordinary resolutions :-

That the difference between the sterling equivalent at to-day's opening T.T. rate of exchange of \$20 Hongkong currency. at d' the sum of £4 be called up upon each of the 80,000 shares of the pociety of the nominal value of £10 each into which the silver shares of the bociety have been converted.

That a bonus dividend equal in amount to such difference as is referred to in Resolution No. I be and the same is hereby declared out of the Reinsurance Fund of the Society, such bonus dividend being payable to the persons who are register. ed as the shareholders of the Society on the date this resolution is cassed and that such dividend in the case of each of such persons be set off against the amount due from him for calls under Resolution No. 1 and be retained by the Society accordingly and that the Board be authorised to make the necessary entries in the books of the Society.

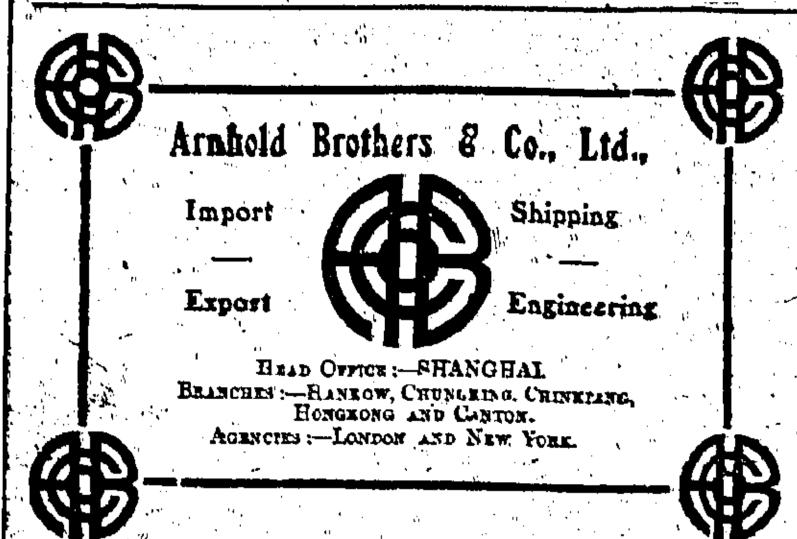
. That 16,000 shares of the capital of the Society be issued additionally to the 80,000 shares referred to in Resolution No. 1 and that the sum of £4 be called up thereon and that such additional shares be offered in the first instance at a premium. of £21 per share to the persons who are registered as the shareholders of the Cociety on the sate this resolution is passed in the proportion of one additional share for each silver share previous y held and upon the footing that the sum of £4 called up plus the £21 (making together £25 per share) shall be paid to the Society on acceptance of the offer, and that such offer be used by notice specifying the tumber of shares to which such persons are entitled and limiting the time within which the offer if not accepted by payment will be deemed to be declined to the 23rd May, 1919, and that the Board be empowered to dispose of the shares not taken up in response to ouch offer as they consider expedient in the interests of the Society. That the 18,000 additional shares referred to in Resolution No. 3 participate in all dividends declared after the next Annual.

General Meeting of the Society pro rata with the 80,000 shares

referred to in Resolution No. 1. Dated the Eleventh day of April, 1916.

By Order of the Board,

C. MONTAGUE EDE General Manager.



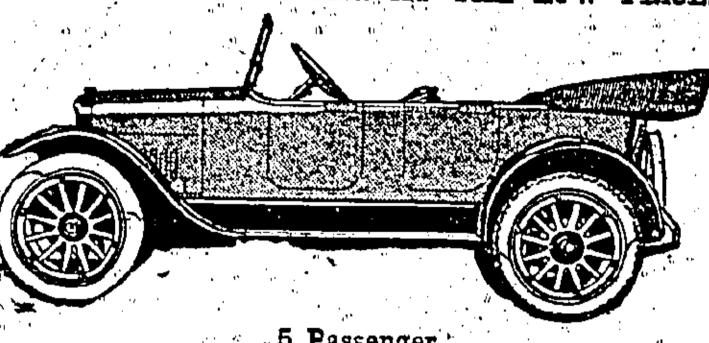
## DREVARD & Co.

SOLE AGENTS HONGKONG SOUTH CHINA.

ORDERS CAN BE FROM STOCKS

HONGKONG.

THE HIGH GRADE CAR AT THE LOW PRICE.



... 5 Passenger Model 41 Touring Car.

# 宗科質品 级

UNIVERSAL PROVIDERS

八九一结零

Most up-to-date and Cheapest House in Hongkong. Address: DES YŒUX ROAD AND CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL Telephone: Nos. 196 & 198

FREE LIFE OF THE SEA.

MEN LOTE TO LEAVE THE MERCANTILE MARINE. Sailors generally declare that they only go to sea under compulsion, but even when they settle down in an inland town or on a farm they

often become restless after a time and get back to sea. The spell of the sea is expected to hold a good number of those who have taken to the deep waters by way of doing their bit in war-time. It is stated that there is every probability. that many of the men who left their jobs at the outbreak of war to join the Mercantile Marine will remain at sea after normal conditions have been restored. They live the free life, and the steady man finds that he can save with far less effort than when he had to spend long days at The C.P.O.S. 's R.M.S. Empress of

his desk. "My experience at present," Mr. Thomas Scott, secretary of the Mercantile Marine Service Association, says, "is that if a man has a job to come back to he usually claims it. but I can quite understand that those who are not in that position are only too glad to stay where they are. The pay for able and ordinary seamen ranges from £11 10s. to £14 a month. with food, so that in itself is an attraction. .Cooks, stewards, carpenters, and bosuns, of course, can make a little more. A movement of this kind would be a good thing. We The T.K.K. sSiberia Mara arrived at Straits, Bangkok, Egypt and EUROPE Kameka, O.S.K. have had to rely too much in the past YokohamMarch 25th, from San via Suez Per TELAMON, TSUREN MA on the foreign sailor, and we would far rather see our own boys in his

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

The C.P.O.S. Co's R.M.S. Empress of Russia left Vancouver for Hougkong via Japan pors. Shanghai and here on or shoutthe lat May.

P. & O. S.N. Co's. s.s. Heja: left Singapore or this Port on the 9th instant at .m. with the outward English Mils, and is due here on the 17th in ant.

The C.P.O.S. O's R.M.S. s.s. Methven sailed from Nagasaki on April 14 Swatow, Amoy and Keelung - Per and is due : Shanghai about Noon on April 16 The C.F.O.S. Cs R.M.S. Monteagle left

Shanghai o Friday, 11th April and is due at Ma Sunday, April 13th. The C.P.O.S. p's R.M.S. Empress of Asia left Yrohama for Vancouver on the 5t April and is due at Varicouver no or about the 16th

Japan left kohama for Vancouver on the 28 March and is due at Vancouvern or about the 9th

The T.K.K. s. Tenyo Marn arrived at Yokoheman the morning of the 10th insta according to schedule and is due this Port 22nd instant. The T.K.K. s. Vippon Maru arrived at Yokobamapril 7 and will sall for San Franco from that Port April 29.

Yokohamdarch 30th, and will sail April 4thor Honolulu and San Franciscon route, to Valparaiso. South Anca.

The T.K.K. Anyo Maru arrived at

Francisco The Shewan hes Co. s.s. Celtic Princs towards end of April.

FRANK WATERHOUS & CO'S.

TRADE & SERVICE BEAU.

TEL. 696.

12, ICH)USE STREET.

### POST OFFICE.

EASTER HOLIDAYS. The General Post Office will be open on the 18th and 19th April from 8 to noon and on the 21st April from 8 a.m. to

9 a.m. only. There will be one delivery of ordinary correspondence and one collection from the Pillar boxes on each of these days also a special delivery of registered correspondence at 9 a.m.

The District Post Offices will be open from 8 to 9 a.m., and from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. each day with the expention of

6 p.m. each day with the exception of Kowloon Office which will be open from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. only. There will be one delivery from the District Offices each day at noon. The Bloney Order Office will be entirely closed during the Holidays.

Parcels of sugar, as gifts, up to 11 lbs. in gross weight each, may now be sent by post to the United Kingdom.

Allied soldiers in the various hospitals in Siberia are badly in need of reading matter. Any books, newspapers, etc. for their use handed in at the G.P.O. will be packed and forwarded to them free.

The parcel post service to Cuba is suspended.

It is notified that all restrictions as to the use of wireless Telegraphy by Merchant Vessels en the China Station have been abolished.

Enigeria and the Ottoman Empire are suspended. No unofficial letter addressed to Abadan, Ahwaz or Mohammorah in the Persian Gulf may exceed eight offices in

The Services to Germany, Austria,

The insured letter and insured parcel services between Egypt (or in transit through Egypt) and Cyprus are temporarily suspended.

Uninsured parcels for the United Kingdom will in future be forwarded from Hongkong in bags and the Public are therefore advised to pack such

Registered and Parcel Mails close 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated.

parcels very carefully.

In the case of Mails closing before 9 a.m. Registration closes at 5 c'clock on the pravious evening.

INWARD MAILS.

THURSDAY, April 17. Straits—Per HEJAZ. Manila and Australia-Per KAMAKURA MARU.

TUESDAY, April 22. U.S.A .- Per TENYO MARU.

CUTWARD. MAILS.

Shangua THURSDAY, April 17. SUNNING, 11 amhina - Per Philippine Islands-Per LOONGSANG, Shanghai and North China - Per KWONGSANG, 5 p.m.

Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUROPE vis Suez-Per CARDIGANSHIRE,

FRIDAY, April 18. Japan via Nugasaki-Per KAMAKURA MARU. 10 a.m. Straits, Bangkok. Ceylon, Mauritius, South Africa, India via Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUROPE via Suez-Per IYO MARU. Re-

gistration 9.45 s.m. Letters 10.30 a.m. Philippine Islands, Sandakan, Australia. New Zealand via Thursday Islands-Per CHANGSHA. Registration 11.15 g.m. Letters

SATURDAY, April 19. Manila, on the 1th April and is due Java and Port Moresby via Batavia-Per EUYROHULOS, 10 s.m. Shanghai and North China - Per. KWANGSE, 10 a.m. Philippine Islands, Japan via Moji, Canada, United States, Central and South America and EUR.

OPE via Canada—Por CHICAGO MARU. Registration 11.45 a.m. Letters noon. SUNDAY, April 20. KALJO MARU, 9 s.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow-Per HAITAN, 9 s.m. MUNDAY, April 21. Swatow and Bangkok-Per CHANG-

CHOW, 9 a.m. Shanghai and North China-Per .CHOYSANG, 9 a.m. Shanghai, North China and Japan via Kobe-Per YOKOHAMA MABU, 9 a.m.

TUESDAY, April 22. Shanghai and North Chins—Per SINKIANG, 10 a.m. Shanghai. North China, Japan via Nagasaki. Honolulu, Canada United States, Central and

South America and EUROPE via San Francisco-Per CHINA. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.50' a.m. Bangkok, Ceylon, Mauritius, Bouth Africa, India vis Dhanushkodi, Egypt and EUR

OPE via Suez-Per LAOME DON. Registration 1.45 p.m Letters 2.30 p.m. The Parcel Mail will be closed on Tuesday, April 22, at Noon.

THURSDAY, April 24. is due to we here from New York | Shanghai and North China - Per SUIYANG, 11 s.m.

FRIDAY. April 25. Tientsin-Per KUEICHOW, 11 a.m. SATURDAY, April 26. Shanghain and North China CHENAN, 5 p.m.

BOWEL COMPLAINT IN CHILDREN.

DURING the summer months childern are subject to disorders of the bowels and should receive the most careful attention. As soon as any unnatural looseness of the bowels is noticed Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhose Remedy should be given. For sale By All Chemists and Storekeepers.

### ENTERTAINME. TS

at 5.15 & 9.15, p.m.

Charlie Chaplin

Max Linder

House of Terrible Scandals. Booking at ROBINSON'S.

### VICTORIA THEATRE

TO-NIGHT:

9.15 P.M. TO-NIGHT !!

Pathe presents

Bryant Washburn

THE GHOST OF THE RANCHO'

Whoopee: His old man threw him out of doors because he was wild so he went to work and won a mighty pretty girl and cleaned up a gang of bad man just to prove he bad the right stuff in him. That's" "BRYANT WASHBURN" in this picture.

ANDERSON'S. Booking at

## HONGKONG THEATRE.

April 16, 17, 18. Paramount Photo-Play 5 parts. ANITA KING

ALSO GAZETTE & COMICS. SATURDAY 19th. see Marguerite Clark "THE GOOSE GIRL" (Paramount 5 parts). Special Matinee on EASTER MONDAY 5 P.M.

## HONGKONG.

WILL PRESENT

Each Evening at 9.15 p.m.

NOW RUBBING IN LONDON. SATURDAY, THE BRILLIANT COMEDY OF LOVE AND LAUGHTER 28th April "THE MAN FROM TORONTO." MONDAY, HORACE ANNESLEY VACHELL'S GREAT PLAY "THE CASE OF LADY CAMBER." 28th April THE THEILLING CANADIAN DEAMA TUESDAY. "TIGER'S CUB 29th April TICER'S CUR . . . DORIS PHILLIPS WEDNESDAY, STANLEY HOUGHTON'S BRILLIANT COMEDY "THE YOUNGER GENERATION." 30th April THURSDAY, WALTER HOWARD'S BOMANTIC DRAMA

1st May "THE STORY OF THE ROSARY." FRIDAY THE SCREAMING LOSDON FARCE "A LITTLE BIT OF FLUFF." 2nd May SATURDAY, THE FAMOUS THREE-GENERATION PLAY 3rd May "MILESTONES." BRIEUX'S GREAT WORK ON THE SOCIAL EVIL MONDAY, DAMAGED GOODS" 5th May (FOR ADULTS ONLY)

> Prices \$3, \$2 & \$1. Booking at MOUTRIE'S

ARRIVALS.

TUESDAY,

6th May

FUDO MARU, Jap., 1,111 tons, from Wakamatin, C34, Capt. H. Mishigaki BAKAI MARU, Jap., 576 tons, from Canton, Ci3, Capt. Ashi, J. Osawa. KENKON MARU, Jap., 3,448 tons from Singspore, West Big, Capt. M.

TSUREN MARU, Jap., 2,029 tons, for Saigon, Wo Fat Seng. from Milke, Wanchai, Capt. Soizina, U.S.K. SUNNING, Brit., 1,570 tons, from Canton, E27, Capt. W. Benson, B. & S. HOI-MING, Brit., 280 tons, from Kongmoon, Whari, Capt. M. Collon, On NAMBANG, Brit., 2,395 tons, from Singapore, Wharf, Capt. Liddell, J.M.

GLENFALLOOH, Brit., 1,434 tons, from Singspore, Blu, Capt. A. MacKenzie, Seng Soon Hong. HIRADO MARU, Jap., 885 tons, from Honkohe, B29, Capt. Y. Tamizano, for Halphong, Hing Lee.
WA SUN, Brit. Capt. Summerville.
for K.C. Wan and Macao, Wong Hing.

M.B.K. April 10. BUI AN, Brit., 750 tons, from Macso. Whatf, Capt. Birss, S.B. Co.

CLEARANCES.

THE GREAT, SPY PLAY

"SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE"

BY WALTER HOWARD.

CHIPSHING, Brit., Capt. Taparell; for Tientsin. J.M. & Co. TAISZUEN. Chi., Capt. Lemos, for Pakhoi and Hoihow, Yan Fat HALDIS, Norw., Capt. Sveen, for Saigon, Fook Tai theong. TELEMACHUS, Brit., Capt. Fraser. JINJU MARU, Jap., Capt. Yatausugi, for Takao, Y.K.K. MANAPOURI, Brit., Capt Jones, for Shanghai via Amoy, Moller & Co. 16 HSIN TAP, Chi., Capt. Wallace, for Shanghai, C.M. S.S. Co. "ROBSO MARU, Jap., Capt. Fashima, for Melbourne and Sydney, O.S.K. DUNERA, Brit., Capt. Fysh, for Bombay via Singapore, P. & O. HIRADO MARU. Jap., Capt. Tomizawa, for Moji, M.B.K. CHONGVA, Chi., Capt. Weatherhead.

KENKUN MARU. No. 8, Jap., Capt.

Kansko, for Kobe, OS.K.

Printed and Published for THE CONCERNED by GEORGE WILLIAM Cabe. Bunkers, Editor and Manager, No. 5, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.